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THE LEGISLATURE.

Bills Introduced that Are of Interest to Reporter Readers.

Compulsory Bible reading in the public schools is the subject of a bill introduced by Ward, of Delaware county. The measure provides that at least ten verses of the scripture shall be read without comment at the opening of every school on every school day.

Outdoor advertising is apparently troubling the aesthetic senses of several legislators. Fahey, of Philadelphia, already has a bill before committees taxing bill boards on the per foot plan. North, of Jefferson county, introduced a bill providing that when a building has added value by reason of its advantages as a bill board, that the advertising value of the structure be taken into consideration when the assessment is made.

Representative Fahey introduced a coldstorage bill, placing a time limit of nine months on the storage of perishable foods. He says he intends to press it to passage.

C. Victor Johnson, of Crawford county, proposes punishment for "Jack the Peeper." He introduced a bill providing a penalty for all those who "in the night time" loiter around and peep in windows. Prison for two years is the maximum penalty fixed for the peeper.

Pure paint is the demand of George E. Alter, who has launched a bill in the house providing penalty for those who adulterate "paint, putty, turpentine or linseed oil."

Dunn, Cambria—Providing for payment to those who fought the forest fires during the year 1909, there being no funds available to pay the claims presented by the fire fighters.

Kelsey, Clinton—To enable tax collectors to collect taxes for payment of which they are personally liable, but which remain uncollected, their warrants having expired or their terms having ended, and extending the time for the collection by two years.

Hibsham, Lancaster—Compelling the destruction of orchard pests and providing for a more thorough inspection of nurseries.

Hilton, Mercer—Cutting of duplicate fees by providing that no commission shall be allowed to county treasurers for receiving and distributing moneys returned to the county by the commonwealth which were collected by the county for the use of the commonwealth, and upon which the treasurer has already received a commission.

Walton, Luzerne—Giving boroughs the power to regulate activities on Sunday and greater latitude in the matter of prohibiting gambling.

Mr. Holland, Washington (read in place)—Empowering the state Highway Commissioner to draw up the rules for highway maintenance and repair and providing that the roads constructed by the State or freed from tolls shall be maintained by the State Highway Department. Counties, townships and boroughs are charged with the duty of maintaining roads which they have rebuilt.

Berkey H. Boyd, Westmoreland—A local option measure, and provides for holding of elections for regulations of liquor traffic in townships, boroughs and ward cities. The bill is similar to the Fair bill of 1909 and was submitted to the committee on law and order.

Grange Meetings.

Grange meetings were held throughout the northern section of Centre county last week, and this week meetings are being conducted in the southern portion of the county. The principal speaker, last week, was John McSparren, and this week State Master William T. Creasy has the floor. A meeting will be held at Spring Mills, this (Thursday) evening, at Madisonburg on Friday evening, and at Centre Hall on Saturday evening. These meetings will be open to all, and a most cordial invitation is extended to the general public. Mr. Creasy will have information of great interest to impart to all interested in agriculture, in fact, to all who live in rural communities.

Moyer's Music School.

$38 00 will pay for board and tuition for a six weeks' course of music in voice and all instruments. The director has had many years of experience as head of musical departments in several eastern colleges. Pupils well cared for. Spring terms begin March 6, and May 1, 1911.

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TO EXTEND TERMS OF OFFICE.

New Bill to Settle Length of Terms of Officeholders.

It is estimated that the terms of 25,000 or more public officers throughout the state will be affected by a bill that has been prepared by the State Department, acting in conjuction with Attorney General Bell. It is to be introduced this week. The purpose of the measure is to correct conditions resulting from the recently enacted amendments to the constitution, which in many instances failed to provide for the continuous filling of such offices as judges, justices of the peace, county, city, borough, township and district offices.

One of the sections of the bill provides that "All judges of the courts of the several judicial districts, associate judges and county officers holding office at the date of the approval of said amendments, whose commissions expire on the first Monday of January in an odd numbered year, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of January in the following even numbered year."

The constitutional amendments extended for one year the terms of these officers heretofore elected for an odd number of years, but failed to carry these officers over from April or May or June, as the case may be, until the first Monday in January, except in the case of those holding office at the date of the approval of the amendments whose terms were to expire in 1911.

For example the terms of the mayor, city and borough councilmen and other municipal officers end the first Monday in April. The terms of their successors are to begin on the first Monday of December. Terms of the justices of the peace, except the ones elected in February, 1910, end on the first Monday in May. School directors' terms end in June, while these officers who were elected for an uneven number of years have their terms extended a year, the amendments leave a period unprovided for, from the first Monday of April, May or June until January. The proposed bill takes care of this by lengthening the terms until January.

LOCALS.

A daughter was born to Hon. J. W. and Mrs. Kepler, at Pine Grove Mills, a short time ago.

Unclaimed letters in Centre Hall postoffice February 1st, 1911: Mrs. Mane McCool, Mr. Andrew Barret, L. F. White.

W. R Young, of Penn township, made an investment in real estate in Millheim borough, having purchased a house and lot from Miss Annie E. Swartz

Miss Frances Brumbaugh was awarded $1,650 damages by a jury in the Blair county court in her suit against George C. Kelchner, of Altoon, for breach of promise to marry.

The opera house at Tyrone, which was erected at a cost of $20,000 has been sold to John Beam, a contractor, who will remodel the building into flats. This is the only theatre in the place.

Cloyd H. Duck, who for two years lived in a tenant house on the J. Q. A. Kennedy farm, west of Centre Hall, will next spring move to near Boalsburg, and will be employed on the D. Harry Shivery farm.

After living on the Brockerhoff farm, on the hill beyond the Old Fort, for a number of years, Solomon Lingle will, next spring, move to the Duck farm, along Sinking Creek, now owned by Lumberman C. J. Finkle, of Spring Mills.

Messrs. J. F. Bible and J. W. Armstrong were callers at the Reporter office last week. Mr. Bible will begin farming next spring on the W. H. Meyer farm, at Centre Hill, and will move there as soon as Mr. Hosterman the present tenant vacates.

Stephen Smith was up from Philadelphia last week to arrange for the sale of the farm stock and implements of his mother, Mrs. Elmira Smith, which will be held Monday, March 13th. Mr. Smith is in the mail service, being on a mail train between New York and Washington, D. C., where hustle is the password.

An acetylene gas plant is being installed in the Methodist church, at Axe Mann, by William E. Crust, who lives just this side the Logan Grange Hall, formerly the property of William Dale. Mr. Crust is also paying the bills out of his own pocket, and that is the part of the program, no doubt, many of the brethren in the church like best.

Your order for valentine post cards should come early. The present supply cannot be duplicated. We were obliged to return considerable money during the holiday season for Christmas and New Year cards, and it looks very much as though the same thing would happen again just before Valentine day, which comes on the 14th. Send in your orders now.

OPPOSE CANADIAN RECIPROCITY

The National Grange Legislative Committee Believes the Measure Unfair Toward the Farmers.

Assuming to speak for the National Grange, N. J. Bachelder, of Concord, N. H., the worthy master of the organization; Aaron Jones, of Indiana, and T. C. Atkeson, of Morganton, West Virginia, hurried to New York for the purpose of launching a grange campaign designed to defeat the ratification by congress of the Canadian reciprocity treaty. The committee will ask every member of the grange to urge his representative to vote against the bill, and its members will also go to Washington to work against the bill. A statement was issued giving these reasons for the opposition:

"The undersigned, representing the principal organization of farmers in the United States, earnestly protest against the enactment of the Canadian reciprocity bill, now pending in congress for the following reasons:

"The bill provides for the admission free of duty of all Canadian farm products. Since Canada is the only country from which any considerable quantity of these products can under any circumstances be imported, this would result in practically free trade in everything the farmer produces.

"While putting farm products on the free list the reciprocity bill makes no material reduction in the high tariff rates on all the manufactured articles the farmer buys, and, therefore, gives no relief from the heavy burden of taxation imposed by those duties.

"The theory on which our protective policy has always been defended is that all classes and interests are equally entitled to protection. The farmers, however, receive much less protection than the manufacturers, for while farm products are taxed on the average about twenty-five per cent. manufactured articles are taxed on an average of about forty-five per cent.

DISCRIMINATION IS CHARGED.

"The enactment of the Canadian reciprocity bill would still further discriminate against the farmers, by abolishing the comparatively slight protection now given them, while leaving the high protective duties on manufactures practically untouched.

"The Canadian farmers by reasons of their lower general tariff, and their preferential trade arrangements, can buy manufactured goods at lower prices than those prevailing in this country. The prices of farm lands in Canada are also much lower than in the United States. These conditions give the Canadian farmers an advantage over us, and the free admission of their products will subject us to unfair competition.

"We hold that the farmers should receive exactly the same measure of protection as is given the manufacturers, and that there must be no reduction of duties on farm products either by reciprocity or tariff revision, unless the duties on all manufactured articles are at the same time correspondingly reduced.

"To show that this reciprocity measure is not an honest effort to reduce the cost of living in the interest of the consumer, it is sufficient to point that while wheat is on the free list, flour is taxed 50 cents per barrel, and that while cattle, sheep and hogs are free, meats, both fresh and cured, are taxed one and one-fourth cents per pound for the benefit of the meat trust."

Farmers Institute.

A farmers' institute will be held at Pleasant Gap, Monday and Tuesday, February 20th and 21st. The program follows:

Monday Afternoon—"Farming vs. Other Occupations," Mr. Van Noy. "Methods of Raising Hay," Prof. Menges.

Monday Evening—"Starting an Orchard," Mr. Watts. "Making Butter on the Farm," Mr. Van Noy. "Methods of Wheat Raising," Prof. Menges.

Tuesday morning—"Benefits of Corn Breeding," by Prof. Menges. "The Silo," Mr. Van Noy. "Building Up a Dairy Herd for Profit," Mr. Watts.

Tuesday Afternoon—"Alfalfa in Pennsylvania," Mr. Watts. "Lime and Its Uses," Prof. McDowell. "Maintenance of Soil Fertility," Prof. Menges.

Tuesday Evening—"Methods and Management in the Apple Orchard," Mr. Watts. "Present Day Needs of the Housekeeper," Miss Lovejoy.

A few minutes delay in treating some cases of croup, even the length of time it takes to go for a doctor often proves dangerous. The safest way is to keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and at first indication of croup give the child a dose. Pleasant to take and always cures. Sold by Murray & Bitner.

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PRAISE FOR CENTRE CO. TEACHER.

School Publication in Leading Editorial Highly Eulogizes Prof. W. F. Zeigler.

Last week brief mention was made of the resignation of Prof. William F Zeigler, as principal of the Cheltenham High School. The Centre Reporter is pleased here to reprint the leading editorial in the January number of Cheltenham School News, published at Elkins Park, Montgomery county, because it pays a just and high tribute to one of Centre county's sons and teachers. The News says:

After a term of service extending over a period of more than sixteen years, Mr. Zeigler presented his resignation as principal of the Cheltenham High School, in order to devote his time to the management and extension of his business interests. The Board, at a meeting held Friday evening, December 16, accepted the resignation with regret and adopted suitable resolutions expressing their appreciation of his long and faithful service to the community, and their best wishes for his success in the fields of endeavor which will engage him in the future.

The experience of Mr. Zeigler during his connection with the Cheltenham High School has been such as falls to the lot of but few teachers. He came to Cheltenham when the High School numbered barely thirty pupils and occupied one room in the Ashbourne building. He has seen it grow into an institution of 160 pupils, housed in a fine building devoted to High School purposes only. When he became connected with the school it had a two years course of study, and the principal taught practically all subjects. Trained as Mr. Zeigler was, before elective courses and specialization had become common in colleges, he was well qualified to meet this requirement. Under his guidance and largely shaped by him the course of study was extended first to three and then to four years, and the faculty increased until it now numbers six regular and five special teachers.

To say that Mr. Ziegler was successful as a teacher is merely to state what was daily observed by the hundreds that came in contact with him and with the school. His studious habits, natural energy, painstaking attention to details, and interest in his work and in the boys and girls could not fail to bring him the rewards of success. He leaves hosts of friends and of him it can truly be said that those who learned to know him best regarded him most highly. And it is safe to say that during his long service in a public capacity he experienced less of the annoyance and personal dislike which seem to be inseparable from such work than is the usual lot.

To estimate the value of service of this character is difficult. Figures give no real index here because it is not material things that are being dealt with. The influence on the boys and girls, on the shaping of their future careers and their attitude toward all social and civic problems, and thus on the community at large, is a vital one, and is realized fully only by those directly interested. To exert such an influence is one of the chief functions and the source of the highest gratification of the teacher.

Postmaster Dismissed.

Postmaster Byron A. Weaver, of Montoursville, has been dismissed, after serving for a period of ten years. He made it a business to boost the sale of stamps to increase his salary. Ten years ago the salary amounted to $1000, but by his stamp sales he increased the salary to $1700. The stamps were sold to business houses and manufacturing concerns, who sent them to other points. It is not known whether the postmaster will be prosecuted or not, the informants seeming to have secured an agreement with the postoffice inspector that only information on violations prior to 1908 should be used, which would preclude the possibility of criminal charges.

The Fannie Colyer Property Sold.

The Mrs. Fannie Colyer property, at Colyer, containing thirty-four acres, and having erected thereon a house and barn, was recently sold to Howard Lingle by George R. Meese, for the sum of $2300. Mr. Lingle will occupy the place himself after April 1st. The present tenant is Henry Gettig.

Do you know that croup can be prevented? Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears it will prevent the attack. It is also a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Sold by Murray & Bitner.

George Harter, who a few months ago began as a student in the Coburn station, is now at Mifflinburg station.

REV. JOHN H. HARPSTER.

Noted Soldier, Minister and Missionary Dies at Mt. Airy.

Rev. John Henry Harpster, director of missions in India under the General Council of the Lutheran church of America, died of pneumonia Wednesday, of last week, at the residence of Rev. Henry E. Jacobs, a brother-in-law, president of the Lutheran Theological Seminary, in Mt. Airy. He had been ill for less than one week. His widow survives him. Dr. Harpster was born at Centre Hall, April 27, 1843, and served through the civil war, holding the rank of captain and staff officer of the Second Corps, Army of the Potomac, and was wounded twice. After the war he resumed his studies, and was ordained to the Lutheran ministry in 1871, serving from then until 1876, at Guntur, India. Ill health forced him to return to this country. In 1893 he returned to India, and came back on furlough in 1902 In December of the latter year he again took up the work in India, as director of Missions.

Dr. Harpster was well known in Centre Hall, where he grew to manhood, and frequently visited during the life of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Harpster. He was born opposite the Reporter office, in the dwelling house now occupied by B. D. Brisbin. He is survived by a sister, Nancy, widow of Joseph Bitner, of Kansas. The deceased brothers and sisters are Jacob, George, Samuel, Mrs. Maggie Harrisberger, Mrs. William Emerick, Mrs. John S. Shannon.

Interment was made at Gettysburg on Saturday.

Bruce Goodhart Buys Farm.

One of the most desirable places in the vicinity of Orangeville, the William Raymond property just north west of Orangeville, was purchased by G. Bruce Goodhart, states the Orangeville, (Illino's) Courier. The place consists of forty-seven acres and the purchase price was $6500, a little over $138 per acre. The place has good buildings and is all farming land but about five acres in timber. Mr. Goodhart will now go into the chicken business on a large scale. He has been very successful in the raising of blooded poultry and now that he has more room he will give more attention to that business. Mr. Goodhart has been in the employ of Meyers Brothers, for a number of years, and gave the best of satisfaction.

The gentleman referred to is a son of G. L. Goodhart, of Centre Hall, and is well known to many of the readers.

Transfers of Real Estate.

N. H. Yearick et ux to McNitt-Huyett Lumber Co., in Marion twp., January 7, 1911. $1400.

W. F. Bradford et al to T. Frank Royer, May 10, 1910, in Potter twp. $800.

John D. Bower et ux to Henry G. Bower January 6, 1911, in Aaronsburg. $1.

W. M. Meyer et ux to Wm. Markle, January 7, 1909, in Harris township. $605.

Irvin Moyer exr to Simon G. Rote, et al in Penn twp, December 3, 1910. $3050.

A. P. Luse et ux to John H. Weber, January 10, 1910, in Centre Hall. $300

W. H. Bartholomew et al to John H. Weber, et al in Centre Hall August 16, 1909. $125.

E M. Huyett et ux to J. H. Weber, et al in Centre Hall, October 10, 1909. $100.

Lizzie Snyder exrs to J. H. Weber, et al December 4, 1909, in Centre Hall. $927.

W. G. Runkle to Samuel Markle, January 14, 1911, in Spring twp. $450

Russell C. Pearce et ux to Delmer T. Pearce, September 10, 1910, in State College. $1.

W. L. Foster et al to Cora B. Pierce, December 12, 1910, in State College. $325.

Adam I. Garbrick et ux to Charles Houser April 1, 1901, in Benner twp $175.

Robert C. Jackson to Jacob Murray, December 16, 1907, in College twp. $700.

Ethel G. Leitzel et Bar to A. C. Leathers, January 3, 1911, in State College. $500.

Mary A. Foster to A. C. Leathers, January 4, 1911, in State College. $1.

Valentine Post Cards.

By the time this issue reaches the readers there will be on sale at this office a large collection of Valentine Post Cards, at ten cents per dozen. Every card is pretty, and sells regularly at the rate of three for five cents. The lot cannot be duplicated, so orders should come early.

Saturday evening Hon. W. T. Creasey, Master of Pennsylvania State Grange, will give a lecture in Grange Arcadia. The door will be open to all who wish to enter. No admission; no collection, but the attendants will hear a mighty good talk.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS.

Ellery O. Brown, of Millheim, expects to move to Akron, Ohio, in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Homan gave a party for the friends of their daughter, Miss Lula, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ada E. Musser, for the second term, lifted her commission as a notary public in Millheim.

Keep these days in mind: Lincoln's birthday is on the 12th; St. Valentine's day on the 14th; Washington's birthday on the 22nd.

Mrs. Solomon Lingle returned last week from a visit of a week's duration at the home of her son, William Lingle, in Sunbury.

Prof C. R. Neff, last Saturday made an effort to disentangle the borough authorities in the dispute of a piece of road, on Nittany Mountain, by running the borough lines.

Capt. George P. Runkle, whose resignation was requested, has been reinstated as captain of the schoolship Adams. Preparations are being made for a trip to Spitzbergen.

There will be a regular meeting of Progress Grange Saturday afternoon. State Master Creasy will be at this meeting as well as at the evening meeting in Grange Arcadia.

This is from the Belleville Times: Dr. H. S. Alexander has purchased the property of John Sankey, the residence where the doctor and family now reside. The consideration is not stipulated.

The marriage of Walter H. McIntire, of State College, and Miss Edna E. Meyer, daughter of Representative J. C. Meyer, of Bellefonte, will take place this (Thursday) evening, in the Presbyterian church, Bellefonte.

The borough of Loganton and a local water company came to terms, and now the borough is the owner of the water plant. The sale was forced, but a compromise was effected without going through the whole of the proceedings.

S. S. Miles, the mercantile appraiser for Centre county, was in Centre Hall last week, attending to business relative to his office. Mr. Miles is a resident of Port Matilda, and an uncle of Mrs. George O. Benner, with whom he stopped when in town.

Messrs. J. H. and S. E. Weber recently purchased a triangular piece of ground containing about one-eighth of an acre to the rear of the property of E. W. Crawford, near the station. The lot joins the railroad right of way. The price paid to the McNitt-Huyett Lumber Company was $100.

David Yoder, of Belleville, has purchased from Lewis Brown the Brown farm, located near Milroy. The farm of 228 acres is all cleared and fertile soil and was bought for $15,000. The brick house on the farm was reserved in the sale as a home for Mrs. Brown, the mother of Mr. Brown who sold the property. Mr. Yoder will not take possession until the first of April, 1912.

Measles invaded the home of Abner W. Alexander, at Earlystown, last week, and attacked Mr. Alexander as well as the children, although the former thought he had had the disease when he was a youngster. Either the measles or Mr. Alexander had not reckoned correctly, or else the notion that one attack of the measles makes one immune thereafter is faulty.

George R. Meese, merchant, huckster and farmer, will make sale of his farm stock and implements some time in April. Mr. Meese sold both the William Colyer farm, in the mountains, and the Mrs. Fannie Colyer home, at Colyer, consequently he has no use for his large stock of horses and cattle, or farm implements. The date of sale will be announced as soon as he can secure an auctioneer.

The services conducted at the Union, Spring Mills and Centre Hall appointments on the Centre Hall Reformed charge by N. L. Wilson, a seminary student, last Sunday, were largely attended, and the members of the Reformed church were highly pleased with the sermons delivered. Next Sunday another student from the same institution will hold services at various appointments on this charge.

Please sign your communications. The names are not wanted for publication, but we must know who is responsible for the news items sent here. This may seem unnecessary to any one but a newspaper man, but to him it is plain that he cannot publish matter under which the author is not willing to sign his name. This applies to surprise parties and any other news. The omission of names sometimes gets the newspaper man in a peck of trouble, when he has simply followed copy. Sign all communications if you want to see them in print.

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THE BOY AND THE GUN.

Each season brings its own sport or pastimes, game or fad for the boys. The autumn and winter are the seasons when many boys hunt or shoot a great deal, says the Omaha Bee. This should be the time, then, for the reiteration of that old warning about the "I-didn't-know-it-was-loaded" accident. Boys should be careful with their shooting irons, and never fail to know whether they are loaded or not. Two boys were out shooting a few days ago and one, thinking his gun was empty, aimed it at the other and pulled the trigger. The other dropped dead. "I didn't know it was loaded," wailed the one who killed him, echoing the wail of scores of others who had at sometime been as criminally negligent as himself. No boy or man has a right to aim a firearm at another person, and when he does it, whether harm comes of it or not, he should be made to feel that he has done something he should not. Parents can well afford to deny guns and pistols to their boys until they have reached such ages as will make them capable of realizing their dangers. If they must have guns, they should be cautioned against careless use of them. It sometimes seems trite to speak of warning boys against such things, but if they were warned often enough such distressing accidents would be fewer.

Pittsburg is growing at a fairly rapid rate, but wants to increase still more swiftly. That smoky town has an ambition to reach the 1,000,000 mark in population, and is bending every effort in that direction. For one thing, Pittsburg is pushing the project for a ship canal from that city to Lake Erie, by which it is hoped to increase still further the already great industrial activity of that district. Other schemes include a big rapid-transit system, with subway attachments, bringing various points into easier reach; educational and other expansion, and numerous improvements designed to increase the attractiveness and convenience of the city and its environs. And Pittsburg seems to have sufficient public spirit to carry out the great work suggested.

The census figures continue to give interesting results. Mention has been made of the fact that there are now in the United States 50 cities with a population of 100,000 or more, a notable gain in ten years, as there were but 38 such cities in 1900. Now the census bureau, having compiled the returns, announces that there are in this country 19 cities with a population reaching or exceeding 250,000. In 1900 there were 15 towns included in that class. From this it appears that, while there has been marked gain in many cities, large and small, the proportion has been greatest among municipalities of moderate size.

Also they do some things better in Germany. A reckless chauffeur who killed an American woman when he ran into a crowd of theatergoers has been sent to the penitentiary for 15 months.

It is said that one of the prominent female colleges is going to insist on proficiency in spelling and writing in the students. This looks as if the higher education were meditating a return to the simple life.

Some New York undertakers are said to be in league with preachers and sextons. It might be worse, as there is no evidence offered that undertakers are in league with doctors.

It is reported that there has been a revival of poetry in England. If the poets can manage to get through this winter there may be a chance for some of them, after all.

A New York boy is to have a legacy of $10,000 provided he does not enter the ministry. Isn't that an awful prospect for the average small boy to contemplate?

The Massachusetts man who saws wood daily at the age of 100 finds that he doesn't need any gymnasium exercise.

That Chicago philosopher who advocates the eating of four meals a day provides a long-awaited antidote to Brother Fletcher.

A man in Maryland wants a divorce because he is adfraid of his wife. Apparently he considers his condition unique.

A Frenchman, having taken the world's altitude record away from America, that nation is entitled to the honor of being the flightier.

Poverty does nearly everything to a man except to take away his appetite.

HURRIES TROOPS TO MEXICAN LINE

Will Prevent Insurrectos From Crossing Border.

TO ENFORCE STRICT NEUTRALITY.

President Diaz May Ask the United States for Permission to Send Mexican Federal Troops Over American Territory—4,500 U. S. Cavalrymen Will Now Patrol the Border of Texas and California—Juarez Is Deserted by Nearly All Its Citizens.

Washington, D. C.—The acute revolutionary situation along the northern border of Mexico Friday moved the American government to rush twelve additional troops of cavalry to the frontier to preserve the neutrality of the United States. The American military forces will prevent not only the movement of revolutionary bands from this country into Mexico, but also will prohibit defeated rebels with arms from seeking refuge on the territory of the United States.

This action was based upon strong representations from the Mexican government to the effect that armed bands of revolutionaries have been entering Mexico at isolated places along the southern boundary of the United States. Furthermore, it was declared, the revolutionists have crossed the Rio Grande from Mexico, entering the United States for the purpose of making their way undisturbed through American territory and then re-entering Mexico for the purpose of operating against a strategic point. In reply to the protests of Mexico, the United States government has assured that country that every measure will be adopted with a view to preventing any violation of a neutral attitude on the part of America.

To Patrol Border.

Orders for the dispatch of the reinforcements to the border line were issued by the War Department Friday. Of the twelve companies of cavalry, consisting of about 750 men, four will be sent from the Presidio, Cal., six from Fort Meade, S. D., and two from Fort Wingate, N. M. This will make the total military representation of the United States aligned along the frontier 22 troops of cavalry, or about 1,500 men.

It is understood that the Mexican government is contemplating asking the United States for permission to bring Mexican troops from Sonora, Mex., over American territory into Ciudad Juarez. The request has not yet taken definite form, but if it is made it is believed that the theory will be advanced by Mexico that the neutrality of the United States will not be violated by favorable action on the proposition in view of the fact that the belligerency of the revolution has not been recognized by this government.

MEDALS FOR HEROIC DOGS.

To Reward Canines That Save Lives or Rout Burglars.

New York.—Canine heroism will no longer pass unrewarded. The small animals committee of the New York Woman's League for Animals, of which Mrs. James Speyer is president, announced that dogs who save human lives, drive off burglars, catch thieves or perform other acts of heroism will hereafter receive official recognition of their bravery through the league, and their owners will be presented with medals.

COURT IN UPROAR.

Charles Smith Discovers a New Crime in Maryland.

New York.—Charles Smith was up before Judge Fawcett to plead to an indictment for a minor offense.

"Smith," the judge addressed him, "were you ever convicted of any crime before?"

"Yes, sir," the man answered, promptly, "I once got married in Maryland."

It required several minutes to restore order in the courtroom.

Coffee Trust Alleged.

Washington, D. C.—The existence of an alleged coffee trust has been called to the attention of the Department of Justice. It is charged that the marketing of Brazilian coffee is entirely in the hands of a committee which controls the market and is now planning an advance of four cents a pound. The statement made to the department declares that the committee is preparing to market 78,000,000 pounds of beans at an additional profit of $3,000,000.

To Have American Advisers.

Teheran, Persia.—Parliament voted to engage five American financial advisers.

Popular Vote on Suffrage.

Sacramento, Cal.— The Constitutional amendment providing for the submission of the question of woman suffrage to a popular vote was passed by the Assembly, 65 to 6. The amendment already has passed the Senate.

Tablet Voted for Greeley.

Concord, N. H.—By vote of the Legislature, the birthplace of Horace Greeley, in Amherst, will be marked by a tablet.

DEAD NUMBER SIX HUNDRED

Victims of the Eruption and Tidal Wave.

Manila.—Revised estimates places the number of those killed by the eruptions of Mount Taal, and drowned in the tidal waves, at 600. These include many in the two hamlets which are being excavated on the north shore of Taal Island. Sixty-two bodies were buried in a trench Thursday.

Washington.—To meet conditions of suffering in the Philippines incident to the eruption of the Mount Taal volcano, the American National Red Cross Society in Washington has cabled $1,000 to Governor General Forbes of the islands. Governor Forbes is president of the Philippine branch of the Red Cross which already has taken active measures for relief.

The Governor reports, however, that unless adequate means are adopted there will be much suffering, as mud and lava have destroyed the crops of thousands of families.

Col. William C. Rives, of the army and assistant chief of the Phillippine constabulary, has been placed in charge of all relief work. He has divided the affected territory into districts. Additional detachments of the constabulary are being rushed to the scene to aid in the work.

CANCELS LONG TRIP SOUTH.

President Clears Decks For Extra Session if Necessary.

Washington.—President Taft's announcement that the Southern tour which he had planned to take the early part of next month would be canceled, with the exception of the visit to Atlanta on March 10, has started political tongues to wagging with rumors to the effect that his purpose was to prepare for a possible extra session of Congress in case the present session fails to enact the reciprocity agreement between the United States and Canada.

Pressure of business and the fact that numerous invitations to visit many places in the South were making the tour assume too large proportions are the reasons assigned at the White House for the cancellation of the trip. It is believed in many quarters, however, that Mr. Taft is clearing the decks of all butabsolutely necessary engagements so that, in case he should find it impossible to get his reciprocity measure through this session, he can be prepared for an extra session.

FIRED SHOT FROM MUFF.

Wife, Objecting to Divorce, Wounds Husband and Herself.

South Bend, Ind. (Special).—Driven half mad by the thought of being divorced by her husband, Mrs. Alice E. Baker, wife of William M. Baker, a wealthy building contractor, attempted to kill him in a crowded downtown street. She then turned the smoking revolver on herself and tried to commit suicide. Baker will live, but the woman, who is in the hospital with bullet wounds in her head and body, will die.

Robbers Loot Bank.

Galesburg, Ill. (Special).—After exploding six charges of nitroglycerin and awakening the entire town, a band of bank robbers escaped in an automobile with $2,400 from the Bank of Swan Creek, near here. The robbers cut all wires so that no communication could be had. A posse is in pursuit.

Lyncher is Found Guilty.

Newark, O.—William McKinley, a shopkeeper, was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury which heard evidence against him in connection with the lynching here last July of Carle Thornington, a detective for the "dry" element of the community. McKinley is the second of the mob leaders to be convicted.

Clark for President.

Montgomery, Mo. (Special).—Claude H. Ball, who was recently Champ Clark's opponent for Congress, has just returned from a tour through 10 states and declared there is an uprising in the West for Champ Clark for President.

"Pennsy" Orders 1000 Cars.

Altoona, Pa.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has given the local car shops an order for 1000 open gondola cars. The order will keep the car shopmen busy for several months.

Thirty Killed in Wreck.

Barcelona, Spain.—The derailing of the pasenger train at Valencia was caused by a washout of the roadbed. Thirty persons were killed.

Banker Ends Life.

Aurora, Ill.—Robert M. Newton, 45 years old, banker and prominent horseman, committed suicide at Ottawa, Ill., by leaping into the Illinois River from a bridge. Loss of $75,000 in the failure of a bank at Billings, Mont., recently, and despondency over the fact that some of his relatives whom he had induced to put money in the bank, lost all they had, are believed to have been the causes of his suicide.

FROZEN DYNAMITE SAVED NEW YORK

Army Ordinance Bureau Experts Render An Opinion.

THREE INVESTIGATIONS ARE ON.

Metropolis Saved From Far Worse Disaster Because Twenty Tons of Dynamite Were Frozen and Was Free From Danger of Concussion—Dead and Missing Number Thirty-three—The Destroyed Lighter Not Licensed to Carry Explosives.

Seventy thousand pounds of dynamite exploded from some unknown cause on a Jersey City pier.

Two tugs alongside, much of the pier and about 30 men working near by were blown to atoms.

The blast jarred Manhattan Island and the Jersey shore as far as Long Branch, 45 miles distant.

Estimates of the dead reach 50 or more, and the wounded number hundreds, many of them fatally hurt.

Skyscrapers in New York rocked, ferryboats were almost blown over, thousands of windows smashed, and panic seized the crowds in many places.

Many believed an earthquake had occurred.

The property damaged is estimated at millions.

New York.—Agents of the Du Pont de Nemours Powder Company, the prosecutor of Hudson county, N. J., and inspectors of the Bureau of Explosives of the Ordnance Bureau of the War Department started separate investigations in the frightful explosion of dynamite at the Communipaw piers of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

No arrests have been made, no cause for the explosion had been fixed, and no additional bodies were found. The list of dead and missing still stands at about 33 and the property damage ranges close to $1,000,000.

The interesting opinion was expressed by the Army Ordnance Bureau experts after their examination of the scene of the disaster that the city had been saved from a far worse disaster through the fact that from 12 to 20 tons of dynamite on the spot was frozen and, therefore, largely free from the danger of explosion by concussion.

They further declared their opinion that no dynamite exploded except that already stored on the Katherine W. It was their belief that a boiler explosion on the vessel set off some dynamite that had been stored near the boiler room and partially thawed out.

Will Never Know Cause.

"We have gone far enough now," said Vice-President W. C. Beeler, of the Jersey Central, "to be certain we nor the authorities will ever know just what caused the explosion. We do know that the railroad cannot be held responsible. As common carriers the law requires us to accept explosives at the published rates, and under the supervision and regulations of the Ordnance Bureau of the War Department, with which we complied. Once we had delivered a car at the terminal and the consignee had come with his waybill to take possession and had broken the seal of the car, as had been done in this case, it was out of our control and our responsibility had ceased."

Was Not Licensed.

James Healing, owner of the destroyed lighter, Katherine W., admitted without hesitancy that he had no license to carry explosives and added that all the city authorities knew it, too. When he first went into the business of transporting explosives four years ago, he said, he had inquired about a license and never could find that one was required. "Four of my men," he said—"qualified handlers of explosives—had to take out licenses, and they did, from the United States Bureau of Combustibles. I never knew, and nobody else handling explosives in this harbor ever knew, that any other license was required."

A resolution providing for an investigation of the explosion was introduced at a meeting of the New York Chamber of Commerce by Jacob H. Schiff. The resolution calls upon the committee on harbor and shipping to submit to the chamber suggestions for regulations to prevent a repetition of the explosion.

Bronze Bust of Rockefeller.

Chicago.—A life-size bronze bust of John D. Rockefeller has been placed on the mantel over the fireplace in the south wall of Hutchinson Hall, at the University of Chicago. The design is the work of William Couper, of New York.

Chicago's Budget.

Chicago.—Chicago's budget for 1911, as prepared by the Council Committee on Finance, amounts to $49,440,000. Of this amount, $13,500,000 will go to the Board of Education.

Admiral Sperry Dead.

Washington, D. C.—Rear-Admiral Charles S. Sperry, retired, who successfully piloted the United States fleet around the world in 1908-1909, died at the Naval Medical School Hospital here Wednesday of pneumonia.

JOHN MITCHELL FORCED OUT

He Calls Union's Action a Cruel Injustice.

Columbus, O. (Special).—By a vote on roll call of 1,213 to 967, the United Mineworkers Tuesday adopted an amendment to their constitution, providing that members of the National Civic Federation must forfelt membership in the United Mineworkers of America, which amendment forces John Mitchell, former president of the mineworkers' organization, either to give up his position with the federation or resign from the miners' union.

The vote on roll call followed a standing vote of 446 to 344 taken in the morning, which favored adoption of the amendment.

Following the completion of the roll call and before the vote was announced, a telegram from John Mitchell, who had been informed of the standing vote of the convention, was read by Secretary Perry.

The text of Mitchell's telegram was:

"I am advised that, by amendment of constitution, I am deprived of my membership in the United Mineworkers of America unless I relinquish my membership in the National Civic Federation.

"While I regard this action as a cruel injustice, following, as it has, an overwhelming vote of confidence on the part of the miners of the country, as evidenced by my election as a delegate to the American Federation of Labor, and coming at a time when the enemies of labor are exerting their every influence to have affirmed by the Supreme Court of the United States the sentence of nine months' imprisonment imposed upon me because of a resolution adopted by a miners' convention, yet I recognize the legal right of the convention to enact the legislation, and while I believe that an investigation should have been made by your convention before passing judgment averse to the National Civic Federation and against me personally, nevertheless, I submit to your wishes, although I shall live in the consciousness that the men and women at home, for whom I worked for so many years, will not concur in your conclusions."

The amendment was considered at the two previous annual sessions of the United Mine Workers. Last year he was credited with having said that he would give up his position with the Civic Federation before breaking his connection with the miners. Mitchell will have until April 1 to determine what action he shall take.

Socialists were largely instrumental in coming to the aid of the Lewis forces in adopting the amendment. A few Socialists, however, voted against it.

LIFTED 400 FEET BY KITES.

Lieutenant On Cruiser Pennsylvania Takes Many Pictures.

Santa Barbara, Cal.—Lieut. John Rodgers was lifted 400 feet from the deck of the cruiser Pennsylvania by man-raising kites.

The warship was steaming twelve knots against an eight-knot breeze at the time and Rodgers, suspended from the kite cable, 100 feet astern, made observations and camera views for fifteen minutes.

He signaled the results of his observations to the officers on the ship. The altitude attained by Rodgers is said to be a record for man-lifting kites.

The officer was carried up by a train of eleven kites.

TWELVE MEN DROWNED.

Accident on Bridge Over Passaic River, at Newark.

Newark, N. J. (Special).—Police headquarters was notified here that several men, probably 12, had lost their lives in the Passaic River between this city and Harrison.

There was an accident of some sort on the Centre street bridge, a Pennsylvania Railroad structure, recently acquired by the McAdoo tunnel system.

Of late gangs of workmen had been employed night and day installing a new draw and it is supposed that a collapse of part of the structure threw them into the water.

Set Back for Woman Suffrage.

Lansing, Mich. (Special).—The Michigan legislature by a vote of 55 to 44 defeated the resolution calling for the submission of the question of woman suffrage to the people in November, 1912. The measure required a two-third majority, 67 votes, to pass.

Carrie Nation Is Recovering.

Leavenworth, Kan. (Special).—The condition of Carrie Nation, who is in a sanitarium for a nervous breakdown, is much improved. The attending physician says that his patient would be able to leave the sanitarium in less than a month.

Mauled by a Lion.

London (Special.)—George Gray, brother of the British foreign minister, was severely mauled by a lion Sunday near the Athi River, East Africa. He was stalking lion with Sir Alfred Pease and others, when one of the beasts chased and seized him and worried him as a cat does a mouse. He was rescued with the greatest difficulty and is recovering from his injuries. The accident is ascribed to Mr. Gray's rashness.

ADMIT THEY ERRED

HAMPTON'S RETRACTS CHARGE MADE AGAINST STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

DID NOT SELL IMPURE CANDY

Magazine Publisher and Writer of Alleged Libelous Article, Because of Which Corporation Brought Suit, Declare They Were Mistaken.

New York.—In the matter of the libel suits brought by the Standard Oil company for $250,000 damages against Hampton's Magazine and for $100,000 damages against Cleveland Moffett, the former the publisher, and the latter the writer, of an article in the February issue of the magazine which defamed the company in connection with the sale of glucose and candy in Philadelphia, the following retractions have been signed in the office of Shearman & Sterling, the Standard Oil company's lawyers in the case, and have been issued from the company's offices at No. 26 Broadway:

"Hampton's Magazine, 66 West Thirty-fifth St., New York.

"Jan. 31, 1911.

"Standard Oil Company, 26 Broadway, New York.

"Dear Sirs: In the February issue of Hampton's Magazine there was published an article written by me, entitled, 'Cassidy and the Food Poisoners.' In that article I referred to the investigation of Mr. Cassidy, with respect to the manufacture and sale of impure candies in Philadelphia, and made the statement that your company manufactured and sold impure material which went into these candies and that, when the various dealers were arrested and fined, at the instance of Mr. Cassidy, your company paid the fines.

"Upon investigation, I have ascertained that your company was in no way connected with the transactions referred to and I hasten to retract in the fullest manner all charges made against your company and to express my sincere regret that I should have fallen into this serious error. Yours truly, Cleveland Moffett."

"Jan. 31, 1911.

"Standard Oil Company, New York City.

"Dear Sirs: Referring to foregoing letter of Mr. Cleveland Moffett to you, we beg to state that we are convinced that Mr. Moffett was in error in his statements with reference to your company. We greatly regret that these errors should have been made. It is the desire of Hampton's Magazine to be accurate and fair in all things. In our March number we will publish this letter and the foregoing letter of Mr. Moffett. Yours truly, Benj. B. Hampton, President Broadway Magazine, Inc."

LORIMER LASHED BY BROWN

Nebraskan Threatens to Hold Up Appropriation Bills if Vote on Scandal Is Not Ordered.

Washington.—Senator Norris Brown of Nebraska in a speech before the senate charged that Senator William Lorimer of Illinois must have known that his election to the senate by the Illinois legislature was accomplished by corrupt practice. He held that Senators Holstlaw and Broderick and Representatives Lee O'Neil Browne, White, Link, Beckemeyer and Wilson had been bought to elect Lorimer senator; that Browne and Speaker Edward D. Shurtleff of the Illinois house of representatives were the political agents of Mr. Lorimer in accomplishing his election, and that it was not possible for the election to have been brought about under the conditions then existing except by corrupt practices. Mr. Brown devoted most of his remarks to an analysis of the testimony which involved directly the relations of Lorimer, Shurtleff and Browne and the relations of Browne with his thirty minority followers. Mr. Brown issued a challenge to obstructionists that he would hold up appropriation bills unless the senate votes at this session on the Lorimer case, the resolution pertaining to the election of senators by the people, the bill to create a permanent tariff board and a general service pension bill.

WARREN IS SHOWN LENIENCY

Socialistic Editor Convicted of Misusing the Mails Has Sentence Commuted by President.

Washington.—President Taft Wednesday commuted the sentence of Fred D. Warren, the Socialistic editor who was recently sentenced to six months' imprisonment and $1,500 fine, by striking out the imprisonment and reducing the fine to $100, to be collected by civil process only. Warren was convicted in the federal court of a technical misuse of the mails.

Increased Tariffs Are Held Up.

Washington.—Increases in freight rates on fruits and vegetables from Chicago and Milwaukee to various destinations in other states, filed with the interstate commerce commission and made effective Wednesday, were suspended by the commission until June 1, 1911. The tariffs were filed by the Chicago & Northwestern and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railways. The commission is of the opinion that the advances are too radical and will make an investigation of their reasonableness.

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She Was a Bishop's Daughter

By DOROTHY BLACKMORE

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Alice Gregory and her husband were discussing their prospective guests for the ensuing week-end.

"There will be Tom and Grace," said Alice, beginning to enumerate by means of her pretty pointed fingers; "and Walter and Lucy. They shall have the two south rooms in the new wing."

"Are your guests all married couples?" asked her husband, with a creditable show of interest.

Mrs. Gregory gave him a withering glance. "Do I ever do anything so stupid?" she asked. "But—"

Her husband watched her wrinkle her brows and look seriously into space for a moment. "But—what, dear?" he asked.

"I'm afraid I've been just a little indiscreet this time in the selection of at least two guests," she confessed.

Jack Gregory laughed. "I can guess one—Edna Perry."

"Jack! How did you know? She's—well, she's such an overgrown child, such an out-and-out tomboy for a girl who's been out two years that I tremble for the impression she may make on—well, on everybody," she finished.

"But—she's a bishop's daughter. That ought to cover a multitude of sins," Jack added, consolingly. "And who's the other?"

"Donald Moore. I am afraid it will be a little quiet here for him. He's so strenuous. I declare, Jack, I don't know what possessed me to ask him."

"For the polite reason that he's the minister's son and at home in his father's parish for the holidays. A very sufficient reason, dear."

Alice nodded. "Maybe—but what a combination; a minister's son and a bishop's daughter. A house party that doesn't go to rack and ruin with that sort of guests is a pretty solid function. I tremble now that I think of it."

Mrs. Gregory was almost in tears at the prospect, but her husband assured her that he would do all in his

"But—She's a Bishop's Daughter."

power to help her out. Their big country place was well provided for the entertainment of guests, strenuous and otherwise, he told her.

And so it was. There were lakes for skating; a stable full of horses and a variety of vehicles on sleighs for cross-country drives; there were hockey sticks and there were scarlet golf balls for those who could not withstand the snow-covered links; there were motors and there were the ballroom and billiard room and there were quantities of big open fireplaces for the lazy and indolently inclined. The Gregory country place was an amusement palace in itself and Mrs. Gregory's guests never suffered from ennui.

Most of this week's guests were expected on Friday, and Mrs. Gregory had received a telegram from Miss Edna Perry saying that that young woman had foolishly gone beyond Glenwind station to the next and would wait there.

"There's nothing to do but for you to go over with Tompkins in the big sleigh for her," Mrs. Gregory said to her husband.

Jack Gregory looked longingly at the big crackling logs in his own room. "All right, dear," he said, with a note of resignation in his voice.

"I'm sorry, but I can't run a risk of having her lost. Her father—"

"Don't worry; I'll father her while she's here, dear," laughed Gregory, as he rang for his fur coat and gloves. "I'll take an extra top coat, for it's getting beastly cold outside. So long, dear. I'll bring back the bishop's daughter in time for dinner."

"The others will be arriving at any time," Alice called as he left the room.

Jack Gregory had no trouble in finding his belated guest. She was sitting in the tiny suburban station talking freely with the station agent and one or two hangers-on. She seemed to be having a political argument when he arrived, and seemed a trifle loath to leave it.

"I've had such a good time waiting for you, Mr. Gregory," she said, extending her hand and gripping his firmly. "We've had a jolly good discussion. Good afternoon," she added, to the station agent. And, with her ready smile and a glance at them all, she was out and wrapped in the great fur coat.

"I'm sorry to have put you and Alice to this trouble," she went on as Jack took his seat beside her, "but I simply forgot to get off until I saw the train pulling out of Glenwind."

"Don't mention the trouble, Miss Perry."

"It really was all father's fault," she said, laughing. "He was wrathful because I had refused to go for the week-end with him. He has a class to confirm and the stupid minister, knowing mother is abroad, asked father to bring me and remain as their guests over Sunday. Do you suppose I want to sit through a confirmation service and then entertain the minister's son all the rest of the day?" she asked, looking straight into the eyes of her host.

"Doesn't sound very exciting," Jack admitted, but his heart sank within him.

"Deliver me, Mr. Gregory, from minister's sons!" she went on. "It's about all I've had all my life, and when Alice asked me down for this jolly house party I just made up my mind to let father go to his old fogy minister and—"

"And you'd come to us," Jack broke in. "We're more than glad that you did," he added weakly.

Inwardly he was wondering what Alice would say if she could overhear this young woman's remarks. Incidentally, he was thinking that, though a bishop's daughter and all Alice might say she was, she was decidedly pretty.

Arrived under the great porte-cochere she was out of the sleigh in no time, and once the great doors were open the girl was in the arms of her hostess, being kissed on both cold, rosy cheeks.

"A perfectly silly thing for me to do, Alice," she was saying in apology. "But—well, I've told Mr. Gregory why, and he sympathizes with me. Don't you?"

Jack nodded and escaped.

"I'll show you where you're to be and then you can get warm and comfortable, Edna, and forget all that hideous wait," Mrs. Gregory said as she led the girl up the staircase.

Nearly two hours later host and hostess stood with their guests in the great entrance hall by the stone fireplace. It was within a few minutes of dinner time, and Alice chatted with the handsome young son of the parish minister.

"It was jolly good of you to ask me, Mrs. Gregory, and by George, you saved me from a week-end of ennui," Donald Moore was saying.

"Yes?" asked his hostess, elevating her brows and watching the descent of the beautiful girl on the stairs.

"Father, you know, has to entertain the bishop whenever he's in town, and this happens to be the week. That isn't all—the old fellow is bringing his daughter, and—well, you know what they say of bishop's daughters!" The young man laughed.

Alice Gregory's spirits were sinking. "Oh—ah—yes, indeed I do," she stammered, as Edna Perry reached the last step.

Mrs. Gregory went hastily to her. "Dear, there are so many strangers to you here. I hope you'll enjoy yourself." She made the round of introductions and at last, her heart in her mouth, she presented Donald Moore, almost praying that he would not disclose his identity.

"Mr. Moore will take you in to dinner," Alice said as she left the two.

"Donald Moore?" the girl asked, as she extended her hand.

"That same. Are you—are you Bishop Perry's daughter?" he asked, breathlessly, for the beauty of the girl and her compelling personality had quite shaken his composure.

"I'm Edna Perry—yes," she said, a twinkle in her eyes.

And in spite of the qualms of the host and hostess and the prejudices of the young people for each other, they seemed to see no one else at all at the great round table.

The minister's son and the bishop's daughter found much in common—so much that at the end of a brief courtship their two reverend fathers were forced to congratulate each other on something dearer to their hearts than even a big confirmation class.

Paris Horses.

Since 1899 the progress of automobilism has caused a decrease of 15,798 in the number of horses in Paris. The census of the horses in the city taken in 1910 gave a total of 75,463. In 1899 the number was 91,261.

This diminution is the more noticeable in the wealthier districts. There are six arrondissements in which the number of horses has slightly increased, including the Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Nineteenth. In these arrondissements are situated the great public work contractors, who use as many horses as ever. In the Ninth arrondissement the number of horses has risen from 1,552 to 10,306; but this remarkable increase is due to the fact that the horses of one of the largest cab companies are counted in this arrondissement, which was not the case in 1899.

SHOT HIMSELF IN TRAIN WRECK

Passenger Pinned in Flames Commits Suicide.

FIVE KILLED IN COLLISION.

Five Men Killed and a Number Injured in a Head-on Collision on a Branch of the Grand Trunk Railroad Near Paris, Ontario — Fire Adds to the Sufferers' Agony — Orders Were Disobeyed.

Paris, Ont.—Five lives were lost, one man is missing and was probably burned to ashes and four others were injured in a head-on collision late Saturday night on the Buffalo-Goderich branch of the Grand Trunk when train No. 96, running from Buffalo to Goderich, met a light engine running east three miles northwest of Paris. The victims were all members of the crew of the passenger train. The wreckage caught fire and was consumed.

The second car of the train was a combination baggage and smoking car. It was badly shattered and immediately after the crash it caught fire from overturned kerosene lamps.

John Whitelaw, the express messenger, was pinned under the wreckage. He was badly injured, but still conscious. The train crew heard his calls for help and aided by passengers they worked hard to effect his rescue. The flames drove them back.

"If you can't help me soon, I'll end it all," he was heard to say.

It was impossible to check the flames, which were rapidly nearing Whitelaw. There was the sound of a revolver shot, after which the injured man's voice was heard no more. He undoubtedly ended his agony with the revolver which he always carried in his belt.

Mistaken or forgotten orders are given as the cause of the accident.

BOER GENERAL DEAD.

Piet Cronje Who Bravely Fought English Army.

Klerksdorp, Transvaal.—Gen. Piet A. Cronje, the noted Boer general, died Saturday.

General Cronje commanded the Western army of the South African republics in the recent war. After numerous reverses the British Government sent out Field Marshal Lord Roberts and General Lord Kitchener, with thousands of fresh troops to put down the Boers. All their arrangements were completed by the early part of February, 1900. General Cronje and his Boer forces were too greatly outnumbered to withstand the avalanche which fell upon them.

Cronje was instrumental in frustrating the Jameson raid at Krugersdorf in 1895-96. He was a member of the Executive Council of the Transvaal republic and chief native commissioner. He was born about 1835.

WILL ARRANGE ARMISTICE.

United States as Mediator in Honduras.

Washington, D. C.—After an interview with General Bonilla at Celba, Honduras, Commander Davis, of the gunboat Tacoma, telegraphed to the Navy Department that he had been given to understand the revolutionary commander would agree to an armistice within a few days. With the acceptance of mediation the United States will formally undertake the task of attempting to bring the factions together. It is assumed that this government will suggest a neutral spot, possibly an American warship, on which representatives of President Davilla and General Bonilla can meet and endeavor to arrange a truce with ultimate peace in view. General Christmas and his forces have occupied Puerto Cortez.

GORILLA VS. BULLDOG.

A Fierce But Short Combat Watched by Town's Population.

New Iberia, La.—A battle to the death between a gorilla and an English bulldog, in which the gorilla was victorious, was fought here Saturday with almost the entire male population of New Iberia as spectators. Much money was wagered.

The dog and gorilla were placed in the pen at midnight; at 12:02:30 A. M. the dog was dead.

The dog leaped at the gorilla immediately after being placed in the pen. The gorilla caught the dog just as a man does a baseball, then bit quickly through the dog's skull into the brain, broke its back and tore it to pieces.

Forgot the Lord's Prayer.

Topeka, Kan.—At a session of the State Senate recently the Rev. F. Randall, the chaplain, requested the senators to repeat with him the Lord's Prayer. Only eight senators were able to join in its audible repetition. Since then the chaplain has distributed copies of the Book of Common Prayer of the Episcopal Church among the members.

Salt has recently been discovered on Sakhalin Island.

THE NEWS OF PENNSYLVANIA

Hollidaysburg. — Miss Frances Brumbaugh was awarded $1,650 damages by a jury in the Blair county court in her suit against George Kelchner, of Altoona, for breach of promise to marry. The jury was out for eighteen hours. Their prolonged deliberations were due to a difference of opinion on a letter written by the girl to her lover, in which she said: "Go home; I don't care if you never come back." Some jurors regarded this declaration as a temporary lovers' quarrel, while others asserted that it meant release of Kelchner from his marriage engagement.

Wernersville.—While bidding at the public sale held by Dr. J. D. Moyer, of the Mountain Sunset House, on South Mountain, Mrs. John Lerch reeled into the arms of Dr. Moyer and expired before she could be carried into the house. Death was due to heart failure. Only a few minutes before she had purchased several articles and was standing right in front of the auctioneer. A husband, five daughters and two sons survive.

Mahanoy City.—While engaged in blowing out old pillars at Tunnel Ridge Colliery, Anthony Kissolosky, John Drosok and Adam Savage were fearfully mangled by an explosion of dynamite. Kissolosky lost both eyes and ears and will die. All three were hurled many feet down a breast. One of the men accidentally fired a loaded fuse with his naked lamp while preparing to retreat before the shot.

Pottsville.—The killing of Walter Kamosky at Sheppton resulted in the discovery by Coroner Donaghue's jury that the man worked under an alias in order to take advantage of another miner's certificate. Kamosky's real name was Sadlo, and the jury found his death was the result of ignorance of mining rules. An investigation is in progress to find where the fraudulent certificate came from.

Pottsville.—Justice Peter Fransko, of Palo Alto, was committed to prison on a charge of misdemeanor in office and embezzlement. Justice Freeman arranged the settlement of a financial claim through Fransko, and alleged the latter so manipulated the case that the money never reached the claimant.

Pottsville.—Michael Manchur and Wallace Mollin, who boarded at a hostelry kept by John Klick, at Branchdale, got into a row, interfering with the other guests. When Klick tried to eject them, it is alleged, they turned upon him with knives and inflicted stab wounds, which may prove fatal.

Huntingdon.—Howard E. Butz received notice of his reappointment for a fourth term as postmaster of Huntingdon. President Taft made the appointment not only upon the recommendation of Congressman Focht, but also upon a personal letter from C. P. Grandfield, First Assistant Postmaster General.

Altoona.—J. Morrison Lindsay, a Frankstown miller, was found dead near his home by a searching party sent out because he did not appear for supper. As there were no marks of violence, physicians decided he had dropped dead from apoplexy or heart failure. He was aged 65 years.

Mahanoy City.—Overcome by gas fumes near the mouth of Gilberton Colliery Slope, John Strange and John Good, miners, tumbled to the bottom, a distance of 150 feet. Good's body in its descent bounced like a rubber ball as it neared the bottom. Both men are likely to die.

South Bethlehem.—Announcement was made here by the officials of the New Jersey Zinc Company that the company had conceived a plan to pension all its employees who had been in the employ of the concern for twenty years. The pensions will range from $18 to $30 per month.

Scranton.—Doctors are puzzled by the case of Arthur Mills, of Euclid avenue, whose leg has grown two inches longer, as the result of a hip dislocation. It is since he has been up and around that the leg has been growing and it will make him a life cripple.

Mahony City.—Frank Marcock, aged 36, was crushed into a shapeless mass at Morea Colliery under a fall of rock that completely buried his body. It was necessary to dynamite the rock before the mangled body could be recovered.

Red Run.—The postoffice at this place was discontinued and patrons of the office will now be served by rural route from Stevens. This was one of the first offices in Lancaster county.

Reading.—A heater exploded in a trolley car between this city and Boyertown. Martin Stapleton, an employee, received a gash in the head. The passengers were thrown into a panic. The car was badly damaged.

Pittsburg.—A petition asking for a pardon for former Councilman M. L. Swift, convicted of bribery and sentenced to serve four months in jail was forwarded to Harrisburg. Swift was connected with the recent Councilmanic graft scandal.

UNAPPRECIATIVE SERVANT.

"It is our nurse who has fallen. She knows well that we are not insured against accidents to working people."

"What next will the domestics of today invent to vex their employers?"

PAINFUL FINGER NAILS CURED

"I have suffered from the same trouble (painful finger nails) at different periods of my life. The first time of its occurrence, perhaps twenty-five years ago, after trying home remedies without getting helped, I asked my doctor to prescribe for me, but it was not for a year or more that my nails and fingers were well. The inflammation and suppuration began at the base of the finger nail. Sometimes it was so painful that I had to use a poultice to induce suppuration. After the pus was discharged the swelling would go down until the next period of inflammation, possibly not more than a week or two afterwards. These frequent inflammations resulted in the loss of the nail. I had sometimes as many as three fingers in this state at one time.

"Perhaps ten years later I began again to suffer from the same trouble. Again I tried various remedies, among them a prescription from a doctor of a friend of mine, who had suffered from a like trouble. This seemed to help somewhat for a time, but it was not a permanent cure; next tried a prescription from my own doctor, but this was so irritating to the sensitive, diseased skin that I could not use it. I began to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I had used the Cuticura Ointment previously on my children's scalps with good effect. I did not use the Soap exclusively, but I rubbed the Cuticura Ointment into the base of the nail every night thoroughly, and as often beside as I could. I had not used it but a few weeks before my nails were better, and in a short time they were apparently well. There was no more suppuration, nor inflammation, the nails grew out clean again. One box of Cuticura Ointment was all that I used in effecting a cure." (Signed) Mrs. I. J. Horton, Katonah, N. Y., Apr. 13, 1910. On Sept. 21, Mrs. Horton wrote: "I have had no further return of the trouble with my finger nails."

The Selfish View.

"Do you want cheaper postage?"

"I don't know," replied the men who considers only his own interests, "I don't write many letters myself, and I don't see why I should be eager to make it easier for the men who send me bills."

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for Infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

The Glamour of the Show.

"When Dustin Stax was a boy he would work like a slave carrying water to the elephant."

"Yes. And now he works just as hard carrying diamond necklaces to opera singers."

Many Children Are Sickly.
Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for children break up colds in 24 hours, relieve feverishness, headache, stomach troubles, teething disorders, move and regulate the bowels, and destroy worms. They are so pleasant to take children like them. Used by mothers for 23 years. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address, A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Naturally.

"Does your husband go in for golf?" asks the caller.

"No," she answers. "He goes out for it.

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA AND BUILD UP THE SYSTEM
Take the Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing it is simply Quinine and Iron in a tasteless form. The Quinine drives out the malaria and the Iron builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 30 years. Price 50 cents.

A woman's idea of a great financier is a man who can straighten out her expense account.

It takes more than mushy manner to make one a minister of the bread of life.

Callous the bowels with harsh cathartics, and you'll need physic always. Help them gently, with candy Cascarets, and you'll need them rarely. Once learn the difference and you'll never take a harsher laxative than these. 858
Vest-pocket box, 10 cents—at drug-stores. Each tablet of the genuine is marked C C C.

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TERMS.—The terms of subscription to the Reporter are one dollar per year in advance.

ADVERTISEMENTS.—20 cents per lines for three insertions, and 5 cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Other rates made known on application.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

Presbyterian—Centre Hall, morning.

Lutheran—Union, morning; Georges Valley, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Methodist—Centre Hall, morning; Spruce-town, afternoon; Spring Mills, evening.

United Evangelical—Egg Hill, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon; Centre Hall, evening.

Reformed—Tusseyville, morning; Centre Hall, afternoon. Services by Harry Hartman, a Seminary student.

Evangelical—Spring Mills, morning; Tusseyville, afternoon; Linden Hall, evening. Communion services in the morning and afternoon. Rev. C. N. Wolf will preach at all the appointments. All are invited.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce that D. R. Foreman, of the Borough of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject, to the usages of the Democratic party. Paid.

We are authorized to announce that D. Paul Fortney, of Bellefonte, is a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that John R. Lemon, of Ferguson township, is a candidate for the office of Commissioner, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce that John D. Miller, of Walker township, is a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the usages of the Democratic party.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Treasurer of Centre county, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries to be held June 3, 1911. J. MITCHEL CUNNINGHAM, paid Bellefonte, Pa.

We are authorized to announce that J. Frank Smith, of Centre Hall borough, is a candidate for Register, subject to the usages of the Democratic party. paid

It looks as though the judges will get their terms lengthened and salaries increased. Poor things, they need larger salaries to make them less dependent.

The legislature does not take kindly to the proposition of a direct vote for the senatorship. One hundred and three members voted against such a plan, and seventy-seven for it.

If the bill introduced in the legislature, lengthening the terms of office holders so that they expire at a time when a successor may be elected as provided for under the amendments to the constitution adopted recently, the term of President Judge Ellis L. Orvis will be extended from 1915 to 1916.

The attention of the farmers in general, and Patrons of Husbandry in particular, is called to an article on the Canadian reciprocity measure, a pet scheme of the president of the United States. The Reporter is not much of a believer in a tariff, except on special articles and products, but it cannot see why the tariff should be wiped away on the products of the farm and remain on other articles, and especially when the average tariff on farm products is only twenty-five per cent., and that of manufactured articles, forty-five per cent. It appears very much as though President Taft regards the farmer as the least dangerous "beast" to deal with, because of the lack of organization, and unwillingness to contribute to campaign funds. If tariff is a benefit, the farmer is entitled to his share of it.

Marriage Licenses.

James E. Crust, State College
Sudie L. Rumberger, State College

Thomas T. Kline, Milesburg
Mrs. Ida May Young, Milesburg

Harry W. Musser, State College
Margaret E. Leech, State College

Albert T. Butler, Howard
Sarah F. Moore, Howard

Walter H. McIntire, State College
Edna E. Meyer, Bellefonte

Linden Hall.

Mrs. Annie Markle is spending a few days with relatives and friedds before leaving for her home in Kansas.

Mrs. Joseph Hall and Mrs. Bollinger, of Huntingdon, visited Mr. and Mrs. George M. Hall a few days last week.

Miss Nellie Solt, of Bellefonte, who has been spending the past few weeks with Miss Anna Ross returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Weibly, who has been ill for some time, is able to be about.

On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Houser gave a very nice dinner, in honor of their daughter Anna's fifth birthday, to the following little girls: Anna Mary Houser, Ruth and Mamie Brooks, Virginia White, Ruth McClintic, Grace Miller, Grace, Dorothy, Charlotte, Edwina and Mildred Wieland, Virginia Hall and Mamie Cunningham.

Daniel Weaver, of near Penns Cave, the only surviving member of the Samuel Weaver family, since the death of Mrs. Henry Emerick, has been suffering very much from rheumatism during the past four years.

LOCALS.

Sunday is Lincoln's birthday.

Dr. W. H. Schuyler attended the Sunday-school convention held in Bellefonte on Monday.

Dr. H. S. Alexander offers for sale his house and lot at Potters Mills. See advertisement in this issue.

J. W. Mowery will sell his property, west of Centre Hall, at public sale. The date will be fixed within a short time.

Lucian Spicher and son, Charles Spicher, of near Linden Hall, have rented one of the Brockerhoff farms above Roopsburg, and will move there next spring.

Charles Miller and sister, Miss Sadie Miller, of Centre Mills, were in Centre Hall for a few days, where the latter had dental work done by Dr. Hosterman.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shaffer, below Old Fort. He is the second son in the family, and Mr. Shaffer is now better equipped for farming than ever.

Notice in Kerlins Grand View Poultry Farm advertisement that the 22 cents per dozen price for good size, fresh, clean, white eggs will hold good for the remainder of this week.

Four of the children of the late A. T. Corman, of Centre Mills, are ill. They are less than seven years old. The elder is ill of pneumonia, and the others have bad colds and grippe.

T. C. Foster, one of the state orchard demonstrators, is ill, and not able to come to Centre Hall Thursday and Friday of this week to give demonstrations in the orchards of W. Frank Bradford and S. W. Smith.

The February subscribers are kindly asked to remit subscriptions. We very much dislike to send bills, and especially for newspaper subscription that should always be paid in advance, or as nearly so as possible.

John H. Runkle, a Potter township farmer, thinks the political horizon almost clear enough to announce himself a candidate for county commissioner. He will decide as to his intentions within a short time.

Prof. H. C. Rothrock, of Boalsburg, a candidate for the office of prothonotary to succeed Mr. Kimport, attended the teacher's local institute at Centre Hall on Saturday, and incidentally dropped political cards here and there.

Owing to the fact that many orders are coming in to Charles D. Bartholomew, proprietor of Centre Hall Poultry Yards, it will be necessary for you to be prompt in placing your order as they are filled in rotation, and delays cause disappointment.

Mrs. M. J. Rentschler, nee Lytle, a former resident of State College, and who is now located in New York, underwent another serious operation last week, the fourth within four years. This time the surgeons claim that everything of a serious character has been removed and that their patient will recover.

Centre County's representative, J. C. Meyer' was one of the three Democratic members of the house who refused to sign a request for a reorganization of the party within the state. The other two associates are Blair, of Green, and Kuhns, of Lehigh. Nine others had not been seen, on account of absence from Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reish returned to Centre Hall on Monday afternoon from a honeymoon trip of two weeks, which time was spent in the Pittsburg district, Johnstown, Altoona and other points. They will be at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Krape. Mr. Reish will assist Mr. Krape in conducting the Krape and J. W. Conley farms.

Wednesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lucas and children, accompanied by Mrs. Lucas' father, D. R. Sweetwood, started for Elwood, Illinois, where they will make their future home. Mr. Sweetwood has been staying in Illinois for some years with his son F. W. Sweetwood, at Symerton, but the Lucas family is going to Illinois for the first time. Mr. Lucas has hired to E. C. Nole, an up-to-date Illinois farmer and horseman. Mr. Nole is contemplating the erection of a large new barn, and while this is going on, Mr. Lucas will find himself right at home.

The Centre Reporter is pleased to mention the advancement of Jonas D. Smith, who for six years has been employed in the business office of the Philadelphia Inquirer. He began in one of the humblest positions in that office and gradually advanced until he was recently made private secretary to James Elverson, editor in chief. With Mr. Smith it was not a matter of luck, nor importunity on the part of friends, but merit that won. In a conversation with the Potter township youth, on a recent occasion, he remarked that many young men do not attach enough importance to staying with their employers; that many shift here and there before their worth can be appreciated and acknowledged, thus losing opportunities of advancement. This is undoubtedly true. Had Mr. Smith endeavored to serve in succession two or three of Philadelphia's leading papers, neither of them could have advanced him to as important a position as he now holds. Stick to your employer.

Harris Township

Mrs. Ira Rishel and sister, Miss Laura Keller, are enjoying a ten days' visit with relatives at Lock Haven.

Rev. S. Charles Stover spent Wednesday of last week with William Tibbens and family, near Roopsburg.

Mrs. John Charles and Mrs. H. S. Harrow spent a day with John From and family at State College.

Mrs. Susie Traxler, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reitz, is at present visiting in this place.

Mrs. William Smith, of Zion, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mervin Kuhn.

Miss Willa Waite, of Philipsburg, was a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Rrown, for a few days.

Henry Gettig, of Tusseyville, who has been employed at Pittsburg for some time, spent Sunday at the home of Harry Ishler.

Some of the predictions of the groundhog are being verified. We had cold weather on Sunday and snow on Monday.

Mrs. John Schell and aunt, Mrs. Montgomery, of Pottsgrove, were guests of Mrs. George Hosterman during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Reitz moved from State College to Boalsburg, on Tuesday, into the house purchased some time ago by Bruce Lonberger.

Oliver Giboney, of Saulsburg, and cousin, Robert Stewart, of Nebraska, were recent visitors at the Dr. Kidder home.

Miss Katharine Stover, of Aaronsburg, arrived at the home of N. W. Meyer, last week, at which place she will have her home for an indefinite time.

Mrs. William Stover and daughter, Mrs. Grant Charles, with her little son Eugene, are enjoying this week with relatives at Bellefonte, Blanchard and Orvistown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beck, with their youngest son Hugh, of Sinking Valley, spent a week with relatives and former associates in this place. This will be their last visit here before going to their new home near Massillon, Ohio.

James W. Boal, of this place, who was a guest at the Garman House at Bellefonte for a few weeks, had a fall which caused a dislocation of his his hip; he is now in the Bellefonte hospital. He has the sympathy of his friends from this community.

The home of Mrs. John Leech, at Shingletown Gap, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, 8th inst. The contracting parties were her daughter, Miss Edna, and Harry Musser, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Musser, of the Branch. Congratulations are extended.

Mrs. Charles Segner and daughter, Miss Ida, entertained the young girls and some of the young married ladies of Boalsburg and vicinity at a quilting party, on Candlemas day. They were all so busy sewing and talking that not one of them saw the "ground hog."

A jolly company from here hied themselves away to the cozy home of George Fortney on Tuesday evening. The occasion was the fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Fortney, and also a celebration of the birthday of Mrs. Fortney. They carried with them some choice refreshments as well as some choice gifts. The whole proceedings were a well arranged surprise, and thoroughly enjoyed by all who participated in it.

Rebersburg.

Miss Sallie Meyer, of Boonville, is spending this week at the home of Jared Kreamer.

Harvey Corman ventured on the icy walks Thursday morning and only traveled a short distance until he fell, and received a sprained arm and a very painful bruise on his breast.

On this coming Saturday, Rev. Stauffer will be enstalled pastor of the Reformed charge at this place.

The carpenters are framing the timbers for a stable which is to be erected on the Reformed parsonage lot.

Curtis Bierly, of Dents Run, is at present visiting his father, at this place, who has been on the sick list for the past few months.

Claude Haines quite recently bought the general store from Rev. C. E Wolf. Rev. Wolf will again enter upon the ministry.

While working with a bar, John Bright received a cut on his face, which required five stitches in dressing it.

Levi Wance, who is employed at State College, spent several days this week with his family at this place.

Rumor has it that George Showers, of Madisonburg, has purchased Samuel Gephart's store, at Wolfs Store.

William Minnick and wife, of Aaronsburg, spent Sunday in Rebersburg.

At the time the Reporter goes to press Samuel Stump, whose illness is mentioned elsewhere, is in a very critical condition. There is little hope for his recovery.

If you want a bible, and do not have the means to buy it, write to Rev. R. Crittenden, Bellefonte. Testaments will be freely given to all orphan children in need.

NORTH MAGNETIC POLE.

It Is Not a Stationary Point, but Is Constantly Shifting.

Only the experts understand that the north pole and the north magnetic pole are two entirely different things. As a matter of fact, there are few localities on the earth's surface where the compass points due north. The reason is because the north magnetic pole or area lies in the vicinity of King William's Land, just off the arctic coast of North America, in Bothnia. When this magnetic pole is between us and the north pole the compass points due north. As we go either east or west from this line it is easy to see that the compass is off to a certain degree. If we were to travel north of the magnetic pole the needle would point south; west of it the needle would point east. Sir James Ross in 1831 located the north magnetic pole approximately at a point up in Bothnia. In 1903 Captain Roald Amundsen in the ship Gjoa set out on a three years' expedition, relocated the magnetic pole and made the "northwest passage" for which mariners have striven since the days of Henry Hudson. Terrestrial magnetic force is different in every part of the earth's surface and is not always the same at a given point. It is subject to regular daily and yearly changes. Amundsen posted himself near the seat of the magnetic power and for nineteen months, day and night, with his party, took readings of their instruments, both inclination and declination. He also made short excursions into the region of the magnetic pole and was able by the aid of the declination observations to prove that the magnetic north pole does not have a stationary situation, but is continually moving. But the general location is where Sir James Ross first had the honor to place it.—Chicago Tribune.

BOSTON LIGHT.

It Is Said to Be the Oldest Harbor Beacon In America.

The outer light of Boston harbor is Boston light, eight miles below the city and at the very outer end of the channel that ocean liners follow. It stands on Little Brewster island, a pile of rocks partly grassed over in its gentle hollow on the sheltered side. Three families live here—those of the head keeper and his two assistants. In all the inhabitants number a dozen souls.

The light itself is said to be the oldest in America, built in 1715 by the government of England. It is of rough bowlder stone, hooped with iron bands, and its lean, whitewashed form is a landmark and seamark far and wide.

A rustic iron railway for carrying coal leads up from the waterside to the engine house, where is an engine and boilers in which steam is kept up continually to operate the siren foghorns. Their great trumpet-like forms protrude through the wall of the building on the seaward side. In foggy weather one can hear from the open windows the faroff mooing of the foghorn on the Boston lightship, seven miles away, as the keepers on the lightship can hear this one at Boston light.

An old cannon lies on the ground near the lighthouse. It was provided by the Cunard Steamship company before the foghorn was installed to give signals. It is unused now. But in addition to the great revolving light in the tower there is a set of red and white range lights that give the location of anchorage for vessels in the channel. If they see red it means that they are out of their proper location, but if white they are safe.—New York Mail.

The Sea Captain Librarian.

At the Melbourne university council Justice Higgins remarked that he had come across some queer librarians in his time. He knew one Australian institute that had appointed a retired sea captain to the office. That honest worthy catalogued Max Muller's "Chips From a German Workshop" under the heading of "Carpentry." He should have some fun with Ruskin's titles when it comes to classifying "Sheepfolds" and the "Ethics of the Dust."—London Chronicle.

Twisted.

"What we want," said the magazine editor, "is a story that reflects real life."

"That's the trouble with our current literature," replied the harsh critic. "We are getting too much fact in our efforts for fiction and too much fiction in our alleged facts."—Washington Star.

How the Days Go By.

Frank looked up thoughtfully from his engine and cars game of railroading, played on the primitive plan of a five-year-old boy.

"Mamma, isn't it funny how the days go by, one after the other, just like a train of cars, with Sunday for the engine."—Harper's.

A Misapprehension.

The young man leading a dog by a string lounged up to the ticket office of a railway station and inquired, "Must I—aw—take a ticket for a puppy?"

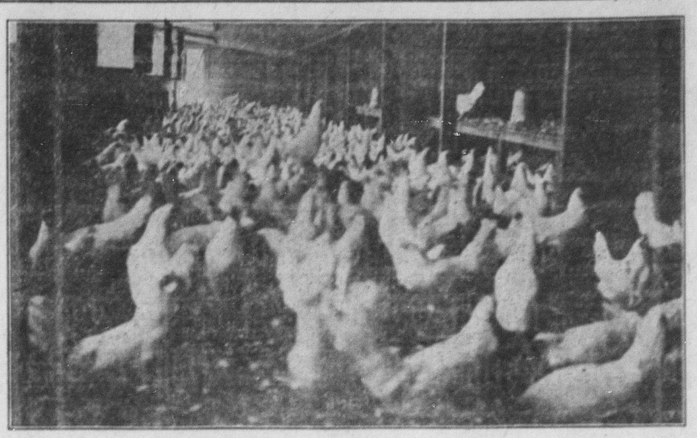
"No; you can travel as an ordinary passenger," was the reply.—Suburban Life.

A Jewel.

"Are you satisfied with your new maid?"

"Very. She's too old to get married and too fat to wear my things. So I think we'll be able to keep her."—Detroit Free Press.

KERLINS Grand View Poultry Farm CENTRE HALL PENN.



LAYING PULLETS IN HOUSE NO. 4.

The Largest Poultry Plant in Central Pennsylvania
VISITORS WELCOME EVERY DAY BUT SUNDAY.

YES, the price of eggs has taken quite a drop—caused by the cold storage packers placing a large amount of storage goods on the market at a heavy loss to them. Having lost a large amount of money they will not store so many this spring, which will cause a more healthy market for the fresh eggs and high prices again this year.

Our orders for day-old chicks, eggs for hatching, feed, incubators and brooders, are the largest by far of any season since we have been in the business.

We are receiving orders almost every day for the New Chas. A. Cyphers Buffalo Incubator and Brooder. The 1911 Chas. A. Cyphers New Buffalo Incubator and Brooder is, without a question, the finest on the market and the price is the very lowest (quality considered). Come and see them and be convinced of the many good features not found in other makes.

It is a pleasure for us to sell these goods when we know how satisfactory they are to the user of them. The Colony Brooder is quite an improvement over last year's make, having done away with the wood fiber. The Brooder is "SELF REGULATING" AND IS CONSIDERED PERFECT.

120-Egg Chas. A Cyphers New Buffalo INCUBATORS,	$12.00
240-Egg " " " " " "	$16.00
360-Egg " " " " " "	$20.00
100-Chick Out-door Colony BROODER	$12.00
Chas. A. Cyphers In-door Brooders	$ 9.00

The above is fully guaranteed and delivered to your freight station by us.

We will help you pay for them by paying you the highest cash price for your eggs. We will pay for GOOD SIZE, FRESH, WHITE EGGS, 22c per doz. This price on eggs holds good until Sat. night, Feb. 11th.

A. E. KERLIN & SON, Centre Hall, Pa.

LADIES'
"FITZ-EZY"
SHOES
will cure corns!

SOLD ONLY AT
YEAGER'S SHOE STORE
BELLEFONTE

February Clearance Sale!

At Emery's Store—for Thirty Days Only.

20 PER CT. Discount

on all Winter Underwear, Bed Blankets, Gloves, Sweaters, Felts and Gums.

New goods for Spring arriving almost daily. Give us a call.

C. F. EMERY
CENTRE HALL, - - PENN'A

Try a box of Dr. Smith's Salve for Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Piles or old sores. Sent by mail. The Dr. Smith Co., Centre Hall, Penn.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Catharine Emerick died at her home in Centre Hall, Monday morning, just three weeks after the death of her husband, Henry Emerick. Interment will be made at Centre Hall this (Thursday) morning; services at the house, by Rev. B. F. Bieber.

Mrs. Emerick was the daughter of Samuel Weaver, and was born below Penns Cave, in Gregg township, November 30, 1834, making her age seventy-six years, three months and five days.

One brother, Daniel Weaver, of Gregg township survives, as do also these children: J. Frank, Penn Hall; Harvey H., Charles City, Iowa; Samuel S., in State of Washington; George, North Angle, California; Newton E., Altoona; Benjamin H., Centre Hall; Howard, Minnesota, Montana.

After a brief illness with heart trouble, John Emerick died on Wednesday night of last week at his home near Unionville. He was born in Georges Valley and was sixty-five years old. He followed farming most of his life and was an upright, honorable citizen. Surviving him are his wife and the following children: Mrs. Wilbur T. Peters, Mrs. E. P. Dunkle and Miss Lida, of Pittsburg, and Clark at home. Mr. Emerick was a member of the Methodist church all his life. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon, burial in the cemetery above Unionville.

Ellen Miriam Kurzenknabe, daughter of Professor and Mrs. J. H. Kurzenknabe, died at her home at Harrisburg of hemorrhage of the lungs She is survived by her parents, six brothers and four sisters. Miss Kurzenknabe was an unusually gifted woman and conducted an art studio in Harrisburg.

George Walizer died at his home in Tylersville of the infirmities of age, he having reached his seventy-first year.

Fruit Growers Association Meeting.

The Centre County Fruit Growers Association will hold a meeting in Centre Hall, Friday evening, March 3rd, at which Prof. H. A. Surface will be the principal speaker.

CYRUS BRUNGART,
Centre Hall, Feb. 8 President.

LOCALS.

L. G. Rearick made a business trip to the Pittsburg district.

Five inches of snow fell on Monday and since then there has been good sleighing.

Miss Mable Taylor, of Tyrone, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Max Lantz, in Spring Mills.

The L. T. L. will hold a regular meeting in the United Evangelical church, Saturday evening.

Robert Keller and Miss Ruth Keller, children of P. F. Keller, of Ingram, were ill of typhoid, fever but have recovered.

George W. Kline, son of John A. Kline, of Centre Mills, has gone to Antes Fort to assist a new miller in the Brosha mill.

Miss Amelia Musser, of Centre Hill, had the misfortune to fall the beginning of this week, and severely injured her shoulder.

Henry Douty and family, of Centre Mills, are preparing to move to Texas Their sale of personal property, held recently, was largely attended.

Hon. Leonard Rhone, who had been ill for two weeks, ventured out of the house beginning of the week, and since has been gaining strength.

Adam Smith, of Shingletown, now tenant on the Dr. Dale farm, will move to near Colyer on the farm his mother, Mrs. Elmira Smith, will vacate.

The Misses Mildred and Mary Grimm, of Bellefonte, were guests of the Misses Elsie and Virna Geiss, in Centre Hall, from Friday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Fleisher, of Philadelphia, have been in Centre Hall during the past week, and are guests of the former's sister, Miss Catharine Fleisher.

Mrs. Eliza Stump is recovering from an illness. Her son-in-law, Samuel Stump, who lives with her, is afflicted with pneumonia, both lungs being affected.

H. I. Foust has leased the Ross farm, at Farmers Mills, and consequently has called off his sale of farm stock and implements advertised for March 21st.

Do you know that croup can be prevented? Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears it will prevent the attack. It is also a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Sold by Murray & Bitner.

Misses Blanche and Emma Rowe, of near Linden Hall, attended the teachers local institute, and were guests of their cousins, children of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Rowe. The former is one of Harris township's school teachers. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Rowe and daughter Daisy drove to Centre Hall and took the young ladies home with them.

Teachers Local Institute.

The teachers' local institute held in Grange Arcadia Saturday was one of the best ever held in this district. With the exception of one or two, every one whose name appeared on the program was ready to respond when their names were called. The attendance at the afternoon session was quite large, the forenoon session not having attracted quite so many.

One of the chief talks of the day was by Prof. C. R. Neff on "Agriculture in the Public Schools." The subjects were all well discussed.

The attendance of teachers, while good, was not as large as should have been the case.

The Reporter offers the suggestion that Superintendent Etters should insist on teachers attending these institutes unless prevented from doing so for a good reason. And further, that programs should be made by assigning topics to teachers only. If there is time to do so, others not teachers could be invited to speak, but the program proper should, in the Reporter's opinion, be given over to teachers. All teachers in the district should be assigned topics, and take an active part in discussions.

A Touch of Human Nature Amid the Horrors of War.

Out of the midst of the bloody horrors of the battle of Fredericksburg comes a sweet and touching incident which goes to prove that the rage of battle cannot obliterate the tenderness dwelling in the hearts of men. The story is taken from Major Robert Stiles' "Four Years Under Massa Robert." The Federal army was entering the town, shot was flying in all directions, and Buck, a Confederate soldier, was peering round the corner of a house.

A little three-year-old, fair haired baby girl toddled out of the alley, accompanied by a Newfoundland dog, and in the midst of the hissing shells chased a cannon ball down the street. Buck grounded his gun, dashed out into the storm and swung his great right arm round the baby. Then he ran after his company, the little one clasped to his breast.

The company took refuge behind the stone wall which has now become historic, and there for hours and days of terror the baby was kept. Fierce nurses took turns in petting her while the storm of battle raged and shrieked. Never was a baby so cared for, and scouts scoured the countryside to get her milk.

When the struggle was over and the Federal army had left the company behind the wall received the post of honor in the van to lead the column into the town. Buck stood about in the middle of the regiment, the baby in his arms. There was a long halt, and the brigade staff hurried to and fro. The regimental colors were not to be found.

Suddenly Buck sprang to the front. He swung aloft the baby girl, her little garments fluttering like the folds of a banner, and shouted:

"Forward, men of the Twenty-first! Here are our colors!"

Off started the brigade, cheering lustily.

SHIRKING JAIL WORK.

Bidwell, the Forger, Was a Champion at Malingering.

Malingering is common in jail, but surely a case quoted from his own experience by Dr. Quinton, the late governor of Holloway, in "Crime and Criminals" is a record. The "hero" was a violent prisoner who feigned stiffness of the index finger to avoid oakum picking. He was so angry when the finger was forcibly bent that "on returning to his cell he promptly placed the offending finger in the hinges of his table, which was attached to the cell wall, and violently raised the leaf, with the result that the finger was absolutely shattered and had to be removed."

Another case even more remarkable in its way was that of the notorious American criminal Bidwell, who was sentenced to penal servitude for life in connection with the Bank of England forgeries.

"He was in good health on conviction, but never did any active work. Feigning loss of power in his legs, he lay in bed from day to day and from year to year, defying all efforts of persuasion and resisting all unpleasant coercive measures devised to make him work. When I saw him at Dartmoor at the end of eight or nine years of his sentence long disuse of his legs had rendered him almost a cripple. The muscles were extremely wasted, and both hip and knee joints were contracted in a state of semiflexion, so that he lay doubled up in a bundle. Though he was examined time after time by experts, no one succeeded in discovering any organic disease or any cause for his condition other than his own firmly expressed determination never to do a day's work for the British government, a threat which, I believe, he ultimately carried out."

Dangerous Sport.

First Lady (reading a newspaper)—This golf seems to be a very dangerous game. Did you see what happened to a man named Taylor? He went into bunker and was in two when he came out.

Second Lady—How dreadful!

"Yes, here are the words: 'Taylor getting out in two, Braid secured a half.'"

"Does it say what happened to the other half?"

"No, but there was worse to follow. According to the report, Taylor then fell altogether to pieces."—Word of Golf.

Read the Reporter.

STORIES OF STANDING BEAR.

The Race the Old Chief Was Willing to Run Against a Government Attorney—A Gallant Brave and His Mirror—An Invisible Bridge.

The impression prevails widely that the Indian lacks the saving sense of humor—"that most characteristic of all American qualities." To the creating and the spreading of this impression many recognizable traits of Indian character have indisputably contributed—his ancestral pride, his exclusiveness, his gravity of face and dignity of manner in public.

Nevertheless an injustice is done him, for among no primitive peoples is the sense of humor keener or more spontaneous and kindly.

Years ago I was conversing with a group of children of the Omaha tribe. They were on their way to a reservation school, and directly in their path lay a swamp an eighth of a mile wide, and straight through this they were required to wade twice a day.

"It is too bad," I remarked. "Can you not go around the swamp? Your feet will be wet, and you will be uncomfortable and possibly ill."

"Oh," cried a girl of about twelve years, her dark eyes dancing with merriment, "we walk over the $1,200 bridge."

They all laughed at this. What could it mean? I saw no bridge; there was no bridge to be seen. It made them merry to see me mystified, and I heard them laughing and chatting as they went through the water and mud. Afterward I discovered the humor in the remark. Some years previous to that time the government had appropriated $1,200 to build a bridge over this swamp, but somehow the money had vanished into somebody's pocket and the work was not done.

One evening I saw a gallant young brave making his way swiftly over the prairies of the Omaha reserve. He was dressed in all his finery, and at his side dangled a small mirror. Manifestly he was an ardent lover. This I should have surmised from his dress and eager haste, even if I had not known him. As he was a friend of mine, I had inside information of his hopes and purposes; also I ventured to stop him for a moment, precious as I knew him time to be.

"That mirror at your side," I remarked, "is to give opportunity for Prairie Flower to discover how lovely she is, is it not?" He considered a moment, and then, with a twinkling eye, he replied:

"No. Maybe so she will talk too much to me, and then I will look into my mirror to see how tired I am."

This certainly was the humor of absurdity.

Examples of Standing Bear's humor I could give almost without number. During the trial of his case before Judge Dundy the contention of the government attorney was that an Indian is not a person within the meaning of the law. This puzzled the old chief greatly. It also amused him.

One day at my table he was vigorously plying a knife and fork when suddenly he paused in his eating, lifted up his hands, and, a humorous smile lighting up his noble, storm scarred face, he remarked: "The attorneys say I am not a person. But I can use a knife and fork. Does a bear do that? If he, the attorney, is a person I am one also. We both eat with knives and forks. Indeed, I think I can use them faster than he can. If he wants to race me eating I am ready." We all laughed at this. When we were quiet Standing Bear added, "That is, I will run an eating race with the attorney if he will pay for the beefsteak."

The first public address Standing Bear ever made was given in my church. In the course of it while he was pleading for assistance he addressed various classes of people present—the men, the women, the clergy, the business men, the children. When he was pleading with the women he said: "I appeal to you because you are brave and patient. Whenever you have anything hard to do you never rest until it is done." This was a gallant sentiment worthy of a chief. But Frank La Flesche, who was interpreting, rendered the sentence thus: "You women are patient. When there is anything hard to be done we men let you do it." This was so true to Indian custom that the audience laughed.

Standing Bear was puzzled. As he stood silent a moment wondering what mistake he had made Bright Eyes, the beautiful Omaha maiden, stepped forward and said, "My brother Frank has made a mistake in interpreting the chief's thought." Then she gave the proper rendering.

The Chicago papers took liberties with Standing Bear's name, one of them referring to him constantly as Upright Bruin. When this was explained to the chief he took the matter with great good nature.

"What does it matter?" he remarked, his face beaming. "I am all tied up with names. I am like a pony tangled in his lariat. Father Hamilton, the Presbyterian, calls me elder. The Episcopalian clergyman calls me warden. For I am an officer in the little church in our village, where both these good men preach. And now the papers call me—what is it? Yes, Bruin. No matter. The judge in Omaha says I am a person, and that satisfies me."—Southern Workman.

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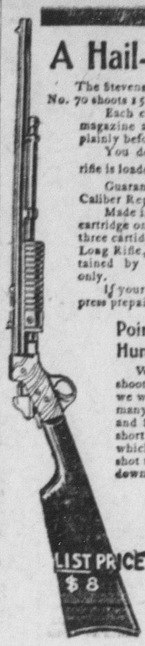

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Careful Man.

"Pretty careful, is he?"

"Pretty careful. He left a partly smoked cigar in my office the other day, and a little later sent his clerk around after it."

His Opinion.

Nephew—What do you think of the opera?

Uncle Josh—Them women in th' boxes ought to be able to raise enough money on their diamonds to buy some clothes with, by jinks!

A "Friendly Match."

I speak of a "friendly match," not at all forgetting the dictum of the old Scot to whom his opponent, breaking some trivial rule, said: "I suppose you won't claim that in a friendly match?" "Friendly match!" was the reply. "There's no such thing at golf!"—London Telegraph.

Raising the Temperature.

Frank had been sent to the hardware store for a thermometer.

"Did mother say what size?" asked the clerk.

"Oh," answered Frank, "gimme the biggest one you've got. It's to warm my bedroom with."—Success Magazine.

As It Appeared in Print.

Senator Newlands of Nevada was soaring in debate one day, soaring so high he "hit the ceiling." He realized he was getting a trifle flowery and to excuse himself said: "Indeed, Mr President, perfervid oratory may be pardoned, for this subject furnishes all the food eloquence needs."

That sounded pretty good to Mr. Newlands, but he was a bit abashed when he read in the Congressional Record next day that he asserted his topic "furnished all the food elephants need."

RESULTS OF FOOD.
Health and Natural Conditions Come From Right Feeding.

Man, physically, should be like a perfectly regulated machine, each part working easily in its appropriate place. A slight derangement causes undue friction and wear, and frequently ruins the entire system.

A well-known educator of Boston found a way to keep the brain and the body in that harmonious co-operation which makes a joy of living.

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STATE CAPITAL NEWS

Harrisburg Correspondence.

Advocates New School Code.

At the convention of the School Directors' Department of the Pennsylvania State Educational Association, Governor Tener advocated the passage of the new School Code in its present form and intimated that he would sign the bill. The convention, which was composed of school directors from all school districts of the State, gave every evidence of hearty indorsement of the code with several minor changes. The sum and substance of the addresses of the afternoon with reference to the new code was that a revision of the system was absolutely necessary, and that the code, which was as nearly perfect as it could be, was the opportunity of a generation to place the schools of the State upon a proper basis. Governor Tener, in urging an indorsement of the code, suggested that the educators who had minor objections to the articles of the code should seek to bury, what he saw fit to term, the petty objections so that a system such as was promised in this measure, should not fail in the end.

Conference On Utilities Bill.

An extended conference was held at the office of Governor Tener by the Governor, Attorney General Bell and Representative Alter, of Allegheny county, chairman of the special committee to make suggestions on the public utilities bill. Mr. Bell stated that he had received a number of suggestions concerning the bill, but that it would take some time to put them into shape. He said he did not think the bill would be ready for a week or more. "The subjects embraced are numerous, and the scope of the bill will probably be broad," said he. "I have been receiving the suggestions and it will require some time to frame the bill."

Asks Pardon For Slayer.

The State Board of Pardons has been asked to grant commutation to Wells W. Detweller, of this city convicted of the murder of Thomas Dwyer in this city in 1909. Detweiler was granted a respite the day before on which his execution was to have taken place. In the petition his attorneys argue that Detweiler was so crazed by drugs that he did not know what he was doing and that the State had not established a motive for the killing. It is also claimed that the woman posing as Dwyer's widow was the wife of another man. The case will be argued February 15.

State's Big Cash Balance.

The State Treasury balance at the close of January business showed $1,000,000 more than in the statement issued at the end of December. The increase was due to the payment in the settlement of the Capitol cases and the aggregate of the general fund and sinking fund balances is not far from $10,000,000 and higher than it has been for months. During the month there were heavy payments but owing to the Capitol cases the receipts reached almost $3,000,000. The balance is $9,725,454.51, a gain of $1,084,597.65. Of this sum $7,285,112.58 is in the general fund.

Ask Local Option Hearing.

A formal request for a hearing on the Boyd Local Option bill now in the hands of the Law and Order Committee of the House was made by Dr. C. W. Carroll, Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Anti-Saloon League. Dr. Carroll saw Chairman C. J. Schad and asked that both sides be heard on the bill the same day. Mr. Schad notified Dr. Carroll that the request would be taken up by the committee. The Boyd bill was presented on Monday night and makes the units townships, boroughs and wards of cities.

$78,826 From Food Bureau.

A big gain is shown in the statement of the receipts of the Dairy and Food Bureau for January just issued by Commissioner Foust. It is as follows: Oleomargarine license fees, $77,130; renovated butter license fees, $600; food fines, act of 1909, $480; egg fines, $200; non-alcoholic drink fines, $150; oleomargarine fines, $110; vinegar fines $100; milk fines, act of 1901, $26; milk fines, act of 1909, $20. Total $78,826.

New Office for Tener.

Governor John K. Tener was elected president of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board; Dairy and Food Commissioner James Foust, vice-president, and Dr. C. J. Marshall State Veterinarian, secretary.

Hearings Soon On Code.

Dr. George M. Phillips, of West Chester, a member of the commission which drafted the school code in 1909 and this year, says that the expected the education committees of the House and Senate would be able to give a joint hearing on the bill two weeks hence. "The hearing will be for the public and notice will be given, I understand," said he.

Winter Months on the Farm

How to Improve Them

Profitable Pork Production

Breed, Breeding and Feeding the Foundation of Success. Management of the Sow and Young Pigs.

By PROF. G. C. HUMPHREY
Wisconsin College of Agriculture

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At the present time there is considerable controversy as to the merits of the lard type and the bacon type of swine. The long, narrow, thin-fleshed bacon type, which dresses 70 to 75 per cent. on butchering, as compared with the lard type, which dresses 84 to 87 per cent., meets with little favor in some sections. In fact immature and unfinished lard hogs satisfy most of the bacon demands. On the other hand, the lard type, which is low, deep, broad, heavily-fleshed, and including the Poland China, Duroc Jersey, Berkshire and Chester White breeds, is always in demand.

Selection of Breed.

The selection of a breed is due rather to personal preference than to any superiority of one of the four varieties of lard hogs. Efficient managemen will succeed in the long run, no matter what breed is selected as the foundation stock. The market itself does not differentiate between breeds but rather requires uniformity in type combined with superior finish and quality. The best plan for each farmer to follow is to select the breed that most closely corresponds to his particular conditions as determined by personal preference, method of production, local popularity of the breed and the market demands.

Due to the fact of the rapid responses to the introduction of superior blood and the ready retention and transmission of acquired characteristics among the swine family, the upgrading and improvement of the scrub herd is a relatively simple matter. There is no excuse for any farmer maintaining a herd of inferior scrub hogs on his farm. By the use of a good, pure-bred sire anyone can, in a few years and at little expense, establish a grade herd equal to a pure-bred herd as regards pork production. Of course, this necessitates the rejection of all inferior animals from the breeding herd and the maintenance of only the improved types.

Importance of the Boar.

The herd boar should be a pure-bred, prepotent sire strongly evincing his breed characteristics and possessing the necessary market confirmation. He should be short and broad in face, broad between the eyes and possess short, broad ears. His neck should rise rapidly between the ears and widen into a body which is long, uniformly wide and deep.

Massive forequarters and narrow hindquarters with insufficient depth in hams and twist should be avoided. Refinement in the head is essential, supplemented by a broad, strong, slightly arched back, a wide loin and wide deep hams. The legs and feet of the boar should be short, strong and sound.

Having selected a boar corresponding to the above type, it is best to quarantine him for three or four weeks to eliminate all danger of the introduction into the herd of parasites and diseases by way of the newly-purchased sire. A boar should not be used for service earlier than the age of eight months and then should be only allowed to serve one female a day, preferably in the early morning, before feeding.

The sow should correspond closely to breed requirements, although she can be a little more refined in features and bone. She should possess ten to twelve sound teats, also a quiet, docile temperament indicative of a good mother. Both the boar and sow should be in good condition for the breeding season and should be grown rather than fattened. During pregnancy the sows should be forced to exercise by scattering their feed in different places or by making them root for their feed mixed with litter.

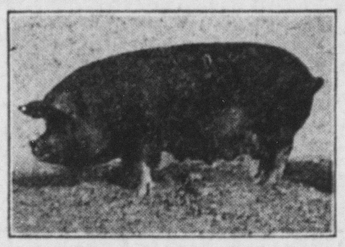
Rations for Breeding Swine.

Some of the best swine rations used at Wisconsin college of agriculture are about perfect. The only objection to them is that they are too expensive for long-continued feeding operations. A good ration consists of 100 pounds of mixed feed fed as slop, composed as follows: Cornmeal 30 pounds, ground oats 30, wheat middlings 30, oil meal 8, salt 2.

This ration is particularly adapted for swine from the weaning period until they reach 300 pounds in weight. All the corn that the pigs will clean up can also be supplied where they are being fattened for market, without danger of causing digestive disorders. The oil meal in this ration not only gives consistency and uniformity to the slop, but it also regulates the digestive organs and improves the quality of skin and hair.

A good brood sow ration consists of cornmeal 23 pounds, ground oats 23, wheat middlings 23, wheat bran 23, oil meal 6 and salt 2. This is an excellent ration, the wheat bran giving it bulk and increasing its laxative effects.

A good ration for small pigs includes ground oats (free from hulls) 35 pounds, wheat middlings 35, cornmeal 20, oil meal 8 and salt 2. This should be supplemented with warm skim-milk for young pigs, fed just before and after weaning time. A good plan is to feed small quantities of this ration to four-weeks-old pigs for two weeks and then wean them and gradually accustom them to the growing ration.



A Good Type of Brood Sow for Producing Market Pigs.

In the case of the first two rations oats may be omitted and the same amounts of corn and wheat middlings increased or barley may replace the corn, as it is excellent for bacon production. Corn and clover pasture produce excellent gains towards the end of the fattening process. In the brood sow ration bran may be replaced by roots and oats may be omitted, providing the sows have abundant exercise. After the farrowing period sows need the growing ration for the maintenance of large litters.

Care at Farrowing and Weaning.

The sows should be housed in comfortable, sanitary quarters and fed as usual up to the date she is to farrow. Knowing the date the sow was bred, and that the period of gestation for swine is 112 to 116 days, it is easy to approximate the date of farrowing. When the sow's udder becomes distended and milk can be drawn from her teats she is due to farrow within 24 hours. After farrowing, the sow should be fed the slop ration and laxative feeds to keep the bowels open. She should be bedded with oat straw or shredded corn fodder, which furnishes a dry, dustless bedding.

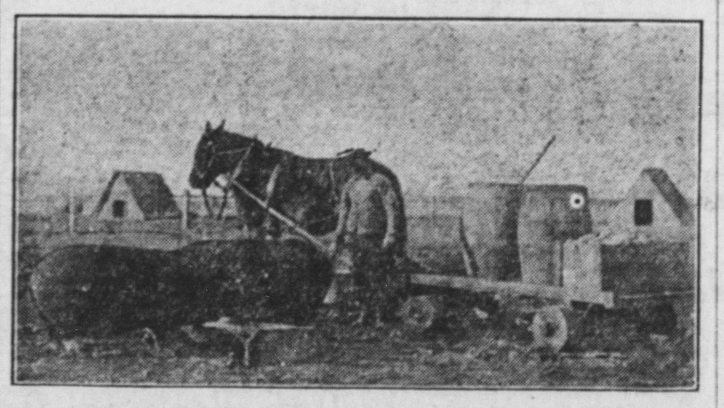
Dust of any kind will cause coughs or pneumonia among the little pigs. Keep the sow quiet immediately after farrowing, allowing her only cold water, and at the end of 24 hours give her a light bran mash. After this the feed can be increased gradually up to the fifth day, when a liberal ration may be fed. Judicious feeding prevents milk fever in sows and scours in pigs.

At the age of four weeks pigs begin to eat, and it is well to have them feeding well before weaning time. Fresh milk added to the small pig ration satisfies their demands. The ration should be fed in an easily cleaned V-shaped trough. Shelled corn should be kept in a dry place before the pigs, and they will soon learn to eat it.

The main point to be considered in feeding young pigs is to grow them and not to fatten them. They should thrive on a well-relished ration and grow steadily. Weaning can be completed at six to eight weeks of age. Where only one litter of pigs is raised annually it is possible to let the pigs run with their dam for ten to twelve weeks, while in other cases only part of the litter is taken away from the sow and the rest left with their dam to gradually dry off her milk flow.

Sod for Orchard.

The pear orchard will do best when allowed to grow up in soil. Slow and hardy growth in sod makes pear trees more resistant to disease. Blue grass makes a good sod for the pear orchard.



Fattening Swine Can Be Kept Most Economically in Lots With Individual Houses for Each Dozen Hogs. A Feed Wagon Is a Labor-Saver.

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

Bradstreet's says:

"Trade as a whole is quiet to dull and tends to drag, except, as in the case of supplies for the agricultural interests, where spring requirements must be met and filled. Unseasonably mild weather throughout the country has tended to dull retail trade despite clearance sales, and many markets report the week's operations in this line below expectations. Except at a few markets where early spring buyers are in evidence, jobbing trade has ruled quiet. Cotton goods lead in activity in this direction. In wholesale lines generally, however, conservatism rules purchases for spring and further distant positions. Demand where evoked is apparently the result of inducements offered buyers, and lines of goods showing concessions are more active than are the regular lines of staples, on which former prices are firmly held.

"Business failures for the week were 345, against 302 last week, 295 in the like week of 1910, 311 in 1909, 359 in 1908 and 211 in 1907.

"Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week aggregate 2,132,513 bushels, against 2,527,501 last week and 3,118,178 this week last year.

"Corn exports for this week are 1,831,343 bushels, against 2,210,772 last week and 1,378,656 bushels in 1910."

Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK—Wheat spot irregular; No. 2 red, 99c. elevator, and 99½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 120½ f. o. b. afloat.

Corn spot steady; new No. 2, 53½ nominal f. o. b. afloat.

Oats spot quiet. January closed 38c.; May 40⅛; July, 40¼. Receipts, 88,450; shipments, 2,475.

Butter state dairy, common to finest, 17a25; factory held, 16½a17½; do, current make, 16½a17½. Cheese steady unchanged; receipts 1,137 boxes.

Eggs; hennery whites, 32a35c.; do, gathered whites, 32a34; do, hennery browns, 23a24; do, gathered browns and mixed, 21a23; Western gathered whites, 28a32; fresh gathered selected extras, 22a23.

Poultry alive irregular. Western chickens, 13a13½c.; fowls, 15½a16; turkeys, 15a18; dressed dull; Western chickens, 14a18; fowls, 13½a16½; turkeys, 16a25.

PHILADELPHIA — Wheat dull ½c. lower; contract grade No. 2 red in export elevator, 95½a96¼.

Corn firm; January and February, 51¼a51½c.

Oats steady; No. 2 white natural, 38a40½c. Butter firm; extra Western creamery, 29c.; do, nearby prints, 30.

Eggs steady; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts f. c. 22c. at mark; do, current receipts in returnable cases at 21 at mark; Western firsts f. c. 22 at mark; do, current receipts f. c. 21 at mark. Cheese unchanged.

Live poultry steady; fowls, 14a16c.; old roosters, 10½a11; spring chickens, 12a15; ducks, 17a18; geese, 15a16; turkeys, 19a21.

BALTIMORE—Wheat—No. 2 red Western, 96⅝; contract, 95⅝; No. 3 red, 93⅝; steamer No. 2 red, 91⅝; steamer No. 2 red Western, 91⅜. The closing was dull; spot and January, 95½a95¾c.; February, 96; March, 97½.

Corn—Western opened firm; spot, 51⅞a52⅛; February, 52a52⅛; March, 52⅝a52⅞, and April, 53⅝a53⅞.

Oats—No. 2 white, 37¾c.; standard white, 37½; No. 3 white, 37¼; No. 4 white, 36¾.

Hay—Timothy—No. 1, $20a20.50; No. 2, $19a19.50; No. 3, $16a18. Clover Mixed—Choice, $18.50a19; No. 1, $17.50a18.50; No. 2, $14a16.50. Clover—No. 1, $15a15.50; No. 2, $13a14.50. Meadow grass and packing hay, $10a12. No grade hay, as to kind, quality and condition, $8a12.

Butter—Creamery fancy, 26a27; creamery choice, 24a25; creamery good, 21a23; creamery imitation, 18a21; creamery prints, 27a28.

Cheese — Jobbing lots, per lb., 16¼a17c.

Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Cattle. Market steady to 10c. lower. Dressed beef and export steers, $6.00a6.60; fair to good, $5.15a5.95; Western steers, $5.00a6.00; stockers and feeders, $4.50a6.00; Southern steers, $5.00a6.00; Southern cows, $3.25a4.75; native cows, $3.25a5.25; native heifers, $4.50a6.25; bulls, $4.00a5.25; calves, $4.00a8.50.

CHICAGO—Cattle, market steady; beeves, $4.75a7.00; Texas steers, $4.15a5.30; Western steers, $4.50a$5.70; stockers and feeders, $3.70a5.70; cows and heifers, $2.50a6.00; calves, $7.25a9.25.

Hogs—Market slow; light; $7.60a7.65; mixed, $7.60a7.86; heavy, $7.55a7.80; roughs, $7.55a7.65; good to choice heavy, $7.65a7.80; pigs, $7.40a8.00; bulk of sales, $7.65a7.80.

Sheep—Receipts, 12,000 head; market weak; native, $2.50a4.40; Western, $2.70a4.35; yearlings, $4.50a5.60; lambs, native, $4.25.

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On the Stage.

"We've got to get somebody to play this light part."

"Why not the electrician?"—Baltimore American.

What a deal of grief, and care, and other harmful excitement does a healthy dullness and cheerful insensibility avoid.—Thackeray.

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Scottville, Mich.—"I want to tell you how much good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash have done me. I live on a farm and have worked very hard. I am forty-five years old, and am the mother of thirteen children. Many people think it strange that I am not broken down with hard work and the care of my family, but I tell them of my good friend, your Vegetable Compound, and that there will be no backache and bearing down pains for them if they will take it as I have. I am scarcely ever without it in the house.

"I will say also that I think there is no better medicine to be found for young girls to build them up and make them strong and well. My eldest daughter has taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for painful periods and irregularity, and it has always helped her.

"I am always ready and willing to speak a good word for the Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies. I tell every one I meet that I owe my health and happiness to these wonderful medicines."—Mrs. J. G. Johnson, Scottville, Mich., R.F.D. 3.

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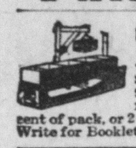

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SENT HAIL TO THE MOON

Embryo Man-of-War's Man at Last Convinced Officer He Was Attending to His Duty.

This is the story of one of the members of the Massachusetts Naval Reserves. On the second night of the cruise of the San Francisco one of the amateur tars was on watch. The night was clear, and myriads of stars twinkled in the sky, but there was no moon. Suddenly the reserve sang out, "Light aboy!" "Where away?" asked the officer of the deck. "Far, far away," replied the would-be man-of-war's man. When the officer had recovered from the shock occasioned by this unseamanlike answer he looked over the rail in the direction indicated by the reserve's finger, and then he had another fit. "What's the matter with you?" growled the officer. "Can't you recognize the rising moon when you see it?" "Moon! moon!" stammered the embryo sea dog. "I beg your pardon, sir! Then he reputed, as if making amends for his error, "Moon aboy!"

Careless and Cappy.

We have undertaken to blend in one the best of the two proberbial conditions—to be careless and happy, hairless and cappy. We are now happy and cappy, and frequently careless as well. A pretty figure may be conjured up—a figure in leaf-green satin veiled with rose and silver shot gauze.

The dark hair is covered by a sailor's cap, point and all, worn flatly over the whole head, the point falling at the back. Instead of being made of scarlet cashmere, it is of the gauze, over silver tissue, and studded with pink and yellow topaz, while it bordered with great gray pear-shaped pearls, these, of coarse, hanging around the back of the neck and over the soft hair in front.

We have taken to caps!

Great Baseball Play.

"What was the greatest baseball play you ever saw?" asked a friend of Governor-elect John W. Tener.

"The greatest play I ever saw," said he, "took place in an amateur game on a town lot at Charleroi. The teams were playing on a wet field and an outfielder who wore a derby hat went after a high fly. He came to a little pond and taking his eye off the ball made a jump to cross it. As he was leaping the ball struck him on the head, went through the crown of his hat and lodged there. The base runner was out and the fielder had not touched the ball with his hands. Can you beat it?"—Washington Correspondence Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Lord's Advertisement.

Willie had been to see his old nurse, and she had shown him her treasures, including some very strikingly colored scripture texts which graced her walls.

A few days afterward his aunt gave him a dime to spend at a bazaar. Seeing that he seemed unable to find what he wanted, she asked him what he was looking for.

"I am looking for one of the Lord's advertisements, like Mary has in her room," said Willie.

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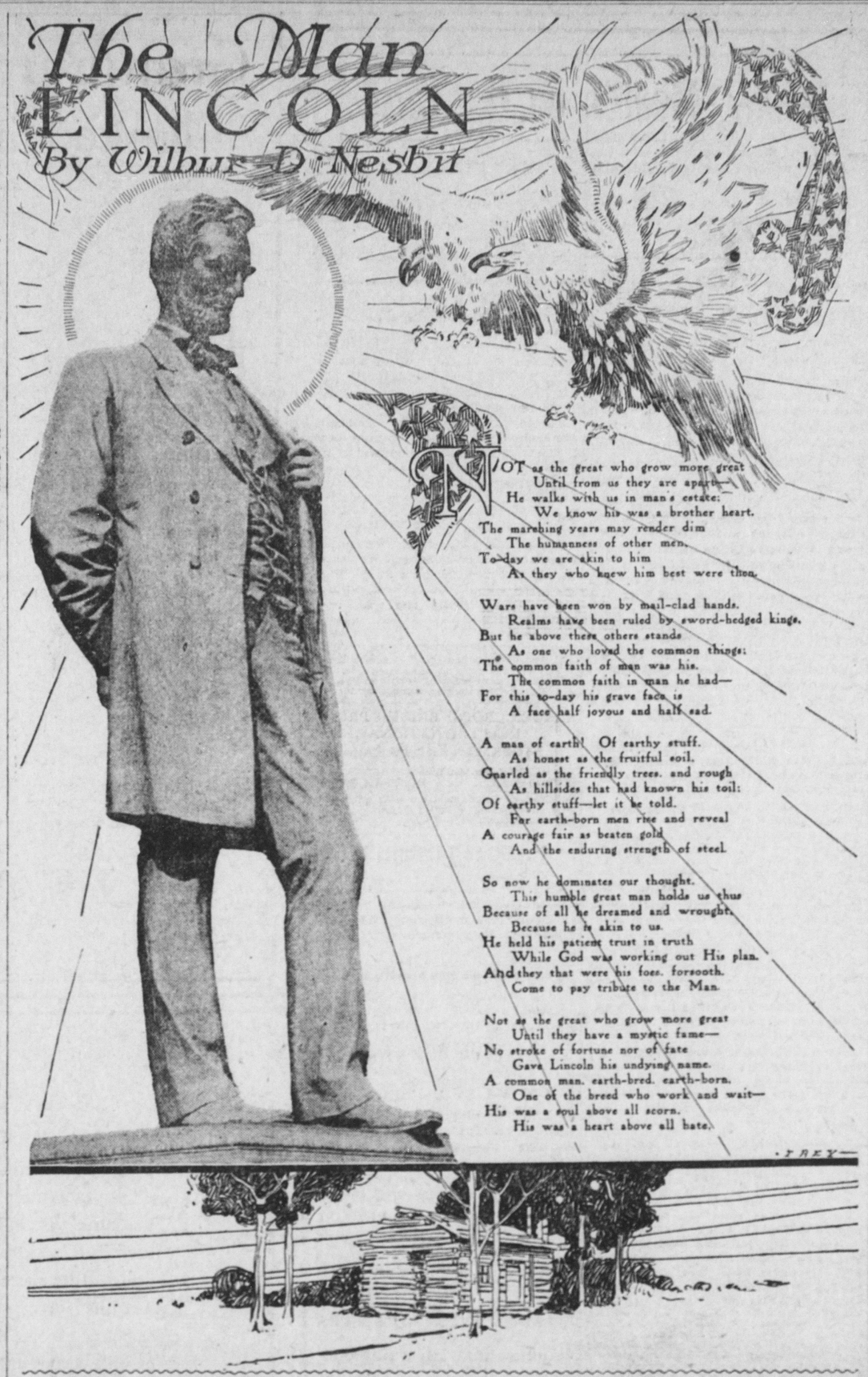
The Man
LINCOLN
By Wilbur D. Nesbit
NOT as the great who grow more great
Until from us they are apart—
He walks with us in man's estate:
We know his was a brother heart.
The marching years may render dim
The humanness of other men.
To-day we are akin to him
As they who knew him best were then.
Wars have been won by mail-clad hands.
Realms have been ruled by sword-hedged kings.
But he above these others stands
As one who loved the common things:
The common faith of man was his.
The common faith in man he had—
For this to-day his grave face is
A face half joyous and half sad.
A man of earth! Of earthy stuff.
As honest as the fruitful soil.
Gnarled as the friendly trees, and rough
As hillsides that had known his toil:
Of earthy stuff—let it be told.
For earth-born men rise and reveal
A courage fair as beaten gold
And the enduring strength of steel.
So now he dominates our thought.
This humble great man holds us thus
Because of all he dreamed and wrought.
Because he is akin to us.
He held his patient trust in truth
While God was working out His plan.
And they that were his foes, forsooth.
Come to pay tribute to the Man.
Not as the great who grow more great
Until they have a mystic fame—
No stroke of fortune nor of fate
Gave Lincoln his undying name.
A common man, earth-bred, earth-born.
One of the breed who work and wait—
His was a soul above all scorn.
His was a heart above all hate.
—FREY—

Hurt by Ellsworth's Death

FROM the president's room in the White House you can see prominent objects in Alexandria, six miles down the Potomac. The one prominent object which then for days attracted and offended the patriot's eye from those windows was the rebel flag floating from the staff on the roof of the hotel in that city, as if in defiance of the national capitol, a few miles away. President Lincoln's young neighbor of Springfield, Ill., Elmer E. Ellsworth, mounted alone to the roof, cut it down, and was himself killed by the rebel owner as he descended the staircase.

"I called on the president just after that occurrence," wrote John A. Kasson, "and congratulated him, as I stood by the window, on the improved view down the Potomac, where, instead of the confederate, the union flag now floated. I was taken aback by Mr. Lincoln's joyless response, 'Yes, but it was at a terrible cost!' and the tears rushed into his eyes as he said it. It was his first personal realization of what the war meant. His tender respect for human life had received its first wound. It was not battle, it was assassination.

He did not foresee the hundreds of thousands who were to fall before the great strife would be ended. He afterward learned to bear the loss of thousands in battle more bravely than he bore the loss of this one in the beginning of the contest. But the loss of a single life, otherwise than in the ranged fight, was always hard for him as so often shown in his action upon the judgment of courts martial.

After the repulse of Fredericksburg he is reported to have said: "If there is a man out of hell that suffers more than I do, I pity him."

"One morning, calling on him at an early hour on business," says Scuyler Colfax, "I found him so pale and careworn that I inquired the cause. He replied, telling me of bad news received at a late hour of the night, and not yet printed, adding that he had not closed his eyes or breakfasted; and then he said, with an anguished expression which I shall never forget, 'How willingly would I exchange places today with the soldier who sleeps on the ground in the army of the Potomac.'"

"The morning after bloody battle of the Wilderness I saw him walk up and down the executive chamber, his long arms behind his back, his dark features contracted still more with gloom, and as he looked up I thought his face the saddest one I had ever seen. He exclaimed: 'Why do we suffer reverses after reverses! Could we have avoided this terrible, bloody war! Was it not forced upon us. Is it never to end!' But he quickly recovered, and told me the sad aggregate of those days of bloodshed."

In the "Anecdotes of Abraham Lincoln" it is related that during the war a lady belonging to a prominent Kentucky family visited Washington to beg for her son's pardon, who was then in prison under sentence of death for belonging to a band of guerrillas who had committed many murders and outrages. With the mother was her daughter, a beautiful young lady, who was an accomplished musician. Mr. Lincoln received the visitors in his usual kindly manner and the mother made known the object of her visit, accompanying her plea with tears and sobs and all the customary dramatic instances.

There were probably extenuating circumstances in favor of the rebel prisoner, and while the president seemed to be deeply pondering the young lady moved to the piano near by, and, taking a seat, commenced to sing "Gentle Annie," a sweet and pathetic ballad, which before the war was a familiar song in almost every household in the union, and is not yet entirely forgotten, for that matter. It is to be presumed that the young lady sang the song with more plantiveness and more effect than Old Abe had ever heard it in Springfield.

During the song he arose from his seat, crossed the room to a window in the westward, through which he gazed for several minutes with that "sad, far away look" which has so often been noted as one of his peculiarities. His memory, no doubt, went back to the days of his humble life on the banks of the Sangamon, and with visions of old Salem and its rustic store came a picture of the "Gentle Annie" of his youth, whose ashes had rested for many long years under the wild flowers and brambles of the old rural burying ground, but whose spirit then, perhaps, guided him to the side of mercy. Then wiping his eyes, he advanced quickly to the desk, wrote a brief note, which he handed to the lady, and informed her that it was the pardon she sought.

TIME HIS PRIME MINISTER

Lincoln Always Waited Till the Right Time Before He Acted, Said Schuyler Colfax.

"Time was Lincoln's prime minister," said Schuyler Colfax. "He always waited, as a wise man should wait, until the right moment brought up all his reserves. George W. Curtis exactly appreciated all his methods when he claimed for him that he sought to measure so accurately, so precisely, the public sentiment, that, whenever he advanced, the loyal hosts of the nation would keep step with him.

Douglas constantly asserted that abolition would be followed by amalgamation, and that the Republican party designed to repeal the laws of Illinois which prohibited the marriage of blacks and whites. This was a formidable appeal to the prejudices of the people of southern Illinois especially. "I protest now and forever," said Lincoln, "against that counterfeit logic which presumes that because I did not want a negro woman for a slave, I do necessarily want her for a wife. I have never had the least apprehension that I or my friends would marry negroes if there were no law to keep them from it, but as Judge Douglas and his friends seem to be in great apprehension that they might, if there were no law to keep them from it, I give him the most solemn pledge that I will to the very last stand by the law of this state which forbids the marrying of the white people with negroes."

"The law means nothing," he said to D. R. Locke. "I shall never marry a negress, but I have no objection to any one else doing so. If a white man wants to marry a negro woman let him do it—if the negro woman can stand it."

A READER CURES HIS CONSTIPATION—TRY IT FREE

Simple way for any family to retain the good health of all its members.

The editors of "Health Hints" and "Questions and Answers" have one question that is put to them more often than any other, and which, strangely enough, they find the most difficult to answer. That is "How can I cure my constipation?"

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AT THE ZOO.

Mr. Bird—This, my dear, is the insect kangaroo.

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A local ironworker who has been married a couple of years always declared that his first son should be named Mat, after one of his best friends.

Learning that the ironworker and his wife had recently been blessed with a charming baby, the friend smiled all over his face when he greeted the father on the street.

"Well," he beamed, "how is little Mat?"

"Mat, nothing," answered the father; "it's Mattress."—Youngstown Telegram.

Free Blood Cure.

If you have pimples, offensive eruptions, old sores, cancer, itching, scratching eczema, suppurating swellings, bone pains, hot skin, or if your blood is thin or impure, then Botanic Blood Balm (B.B.B.) will heal every sore, stop all itching and make the blood pure and rich. Cures after all else fails. $1.00 per large bottle at drug stores. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga., Department B.

Illness at the Zoo.

An unexpected result of the Portuguese revolution was the indisposition of the animals at the Lisbon zoological gardens. They all became ill, having been so alarmed by the bombardment that they refused to eat and drink.

Afraid of Disfigurement.

She—Aren't you going to ask papa tonight, George?

He—No, dear. I think I'd better not. I want to have my picture taken tomorrow.—Yonkers Statesman.

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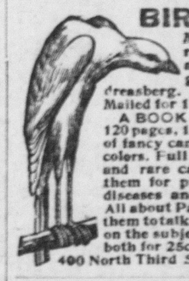

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1911

LETTERS FROM SUBSCRIBERS.

Reporter Subscribers' Correspondent Column—New Department.

GIRARD, Kansas, Feb. 3, 1911.

Editor of the Reporter:

Enclosed find one dollar for the advancement of my subscription for another year. I am always glad to have the news from old Centre county.

We have had a very fine winter thus far. Just for one week the ground was frozen so that it could not be ploughed. On the first of this month it was eighty-five degrees above zero in the shade, and yesterday the sun shone all day, so the ground hog saw his shadow.

Wheat is looking good; crops were good last year in corn, wheat and oats. I think fruit is uninjured by the warm weather the beginning of this month, and as it is cooler again the trees will keep from budding. A few days more of the warm weather would have caused injury by the buds developing too much.

Wheat is 92 cents; corn, 38 cents; oats, 27 cents; hogs, 7½cent. I sold a car load of corn at 40 cents.

It takes the west to furnish the insurgents in the Republican party, but I hope the east will catch on in time. Take, for instance, the bank depositors security law, had the east adopted it the postal savings bank law would not have been passed.

Our city is governed by the "commission" plan, and so far it has been a decided success, far ahead of the old council way of doing. Men who strongly opposed the system now admit we have a superior government.

Mrs. Gise and daughter have been spending the winter in southwestern Texas.

Very truly,
DANIEL K. GISE.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 4, 1911.

Dear Editor Reporter:

I hand you herewith a check for $1 00 in payment for subscription to the Reporter for my mother, Mrs. S. E. Keller.

We are now having fine weather in this section of the west, although we have had quite recently quite a lot of murky, gloomy weather this season, and we are truly glad to have the beautiful sunshine we have been enjoying the past week. We are happy to get the dear old newsy paper, the Reporter; in fact, think we cannot get along without it. Mother enjoys the letters printed in the Reporter written by her friends of younger days and often thinks she will write one herself, or have me do it for her, but so far have not gotten around to it yet. With best wishes for the success of your weekly news, I am.

Yours truly,
MARGARET E. KELLER.

Aaronsburg.

J. H. Crouse had the misfortune, while out coasting, to have his leg broken a couple of inches above the ankle.

Mrs. Sadie Shull, of Millheim, spent a few days with her brother-in-law, John Haines.

Mrs. Clayton Wyle spent a day last week in Millheim, as did Mrs. K. E. Swabb.

Mrs. John Bowersox returned from her trip to York and delights in telling what a good visit she did have with her parents.

Miss Jennie Rupp is in town, the guest of her brother Walter.

Clymer Stover, and Frank Guisewite and wife were the welcome guest of George Weaver.

Edgar Stover, while having a good time playing with his schoolmates, had the misfortune to fall and hurt his knee very b dly.

Mrs. Charles Orwig, of Hartleton, returned to her home Saturday. She was with her son Walter, and was taking care of his wife who has been sick for the last week.

Mrs. Ira Gramley and Mrs. Annie Mensch had quilting parties at their homes. The ladies who participated enjoyed the occasion very much. The dinners at both places were well prepared and were enjoyed by all.

Georges Valley.

M. J. Barger and daughter Miss Sara, spent a few days last week with friends at Milroy.

W. W. Jamison and wife were callers at the home of S. E. Gobble on Saturday evening.

Edward Decker, of Philadelphia, is spending a week with his wife in this place.

A. C. Davis spent Sunday at the home of F. W. Zettle.

Miss Sara Sweetwood visited Miss Sara Barger on Sunday.

Mrs. Rosie McCool and sons John and Alman, spent Sunday at the home of H. M. Lingle.

M. J. Barger will make sale of his personal property and will then leave with his family for Tiffin, Ohio, where they will make their future home. Their many friends and neighbors are sorry to lose them, but all wish them well in their new home.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Weber, Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

LAMENT OF A MAN WHO MOVED

The Homesickness That Came With Working Uptown After Twenty Years of Routine Travel to and From and In the Downtown District.

There are thousands and thousands of men in New York city whose business has been confined to one district for twenty years or more, whose daily routine seldom fluctuates, who are punctual in traveling by a certain train every day in the week, who reach their offices, barring tie-ups, at a regular hour and take up their daily grind and hold to it until the hour of closing.

Many of these men unconsciously get to know and make friends of people whose names they never learn. They become attached to localities in a strange sort of way and do not realize how strong is the attachment. Here is the story of one of them into whose life there has come a change through moving that startles and surprises him and throws a quaint light upon some of the city's people.

"In the twenty years that I was downtown," the man said in telling his experience, "I was in the habit, weather permitting, of taking a walk after the luncheon hour every day in some street between City Hall and the Battery. I have footed every bit of unbuilt ground in that territory. What marvelous changes have come in those twenty years! How many signs on buildings have changed in that time! How many houses have been pulled down! How many new ones have gone up, some of them towering skyward, to take the places of the landmarks?

"I got to know the lower end of town so well I could shut my eyes and make a mental picture of many of the blocks and see the names on the buildings. If I wanted any article, from shoelaces to anything elaborate, I knew exactly where to get them. If some particular dish were desired I knew where it could be served and just what it would cost.

"A great city never stands still. It is as restless as the great deep. But the man who becomes a part of it does not think until he gets away from the part of it where he has done business what the changes are. When I began my strolls there were no tunnels under the two rivers. In the years that have drifted away great bridges have been constructed between Manhattan and Long Island. It does not seem long since I used to hear the restless puff of the coal fed locomotives of the elevated system, yet so gradually did the old order pass that I do not distinctly recall when the present system was installed.

"The changes that took place in business firms were interesting. Many, many times I have seen the name of the man who established a trade taken down and that of his son or sons take its place. So frequently were the same people met in the same place and at the same hour that we nodded as we passed, although none of us knew the name of the nodder.

"Not long ago the business with which I am connected made a jump uptown. Never until I took my traps uptown had I any occasion to walk in the street where our new building stands. The first day I went out to luncheon I had to search for a restaurant. It seemed odd. I saw people I never saw before. I read signs—one of my fool habits—I never read before. Many of the vehicles that passed were quite unlike those I used to see downtown.

"I had to change my hour and route for coming to business. For awhile I had to watch the street signs to know where to get off. How I missed the familiar call of the guard of the car—for I always came down in the same car in the makeup of the elevated train—the one I always boarded at the same hour.

"And that makes me think. I came to know by their faces most of the passengers who boarded that train at my station. I knew where most of them got off. Now that I am in new quarters in a new section I miss all these people with whom I traveled for years. Do they miss me, I wonder?

"And the many whom I came to know downtown—how they will be missed! There is the old street preacher who used to stand on a soap box near Wall street or on the stone steps of the custom house and talk to people in the summer days and again in the days that betokened the coming of autumn. Then there were the Lenten days when I spent a part of my hour at Trinity or in old St. Paul's. I came to know the regular attendants on those services so that the strangers became conspicuous. There are no street preachers in the new district to which I have gone. I wonder why the middle district of the great city doesn't need spiritual direction as well as the downtown districts.

"And so it seems sometimes that I am in a new town, among new people, seeing new buildings, reading new signs, hearing new voices, but all in the same old New York. And when I think of the old walks I have taken downtown, the old buildings that I passed so often that they became as familiar as the faces I met and never knew by name, of the strolls along the two rivers, of the craft I saw so often coming and going—when I think of all these there comes over me that sort of feeling that a boy has when he misses his mother. I think it is called homesickness."—New York Press.

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Tusseyville.

John H. Ishler, after spending four weeks at Tylersville, undergoing treatment for a growth on the nose, returned home Friday of last week, delighted over the fact that he is entirely cured.

Miss Jennie Bodtorf left Tuesday for Lemont, where she will spend the next few weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Edna M. Ishler went to State College one day last week, where she will spend two weeks.

Misses Elizabeth Bitner, Margaretta Rockey and Esther Bitner were royally entertained Wednesday evening of last week by their friends, Misses Grace and Mary Neff.

Miss Grace Ishler who had been on the sick list for the past week, is again able to attend school. Her stay in doors was quite a trial, as her school books claim her undivided attention when well.

Those of our community suffering with the grippe, are Mr. and Mrs. James Spangler, Bernice Swartz and Mrs. Samuel Klinefelter.

Wilbur Runkle was pleasantly surprised Thursday of last week. Upon going to the post office he was handed a generous bundle of postcards, which reminded him of the fact that it was his birthday. He extends to all hearty thanks for the drops that composed the shower.

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SALE REGISTER.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, one o'clock, at Potters Mills, by Charles H. Lucas: Two cows, two shoats, hay, chickens, and household goods.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10, nine o'clock, on W H. Meyer farm, two miles south east of Old Fort, by J. A. Hosterman; nine horses, including one colt, fifty cattle, thirty-four hogs, fourteen sheep. Full line of farm implements and household goods. L. Frank Mays, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, at Centre Hill, the personal property of the late Mrs. Mary E. Burkholder, by the heirs: one horse wagon, lawn mower, and household goods.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, at twelve o'clock, on the J. Q. A. Kennedy farm, one mile west of Centre Hall, by Irvin Burris: Five horses, 2-year old colt, seven milch cows, three extra fine heifers, 2 brood sows; and a full line of farming implements, wagons, etc., all almost as good as new, and in good condition and repair.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, one o'clock, at Old Fort, by William M. Bradford: six horses, fourteen fine milch cows, two bulls, four fat steers, five heifers, four yearling steers, five brood sows, nineteen shoats, Berkshire boar, twelve good ewes.

TUESDAY, MARCH 7,—James H. McCool, one and one-half miles east of Tusseyville, on the Kerr farm: Horses, cows, young cattle, hogs, sheep, and full line of farming implements.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, ten o'clock, three miles west of Centre Hall, on Brush Valley road, on the J. T. Potter farm by Hackenberg and Potter: four head work horses, one yearling colt; eight milk cows, one bull, three head of young cattle, lot of hogs, fifteen head of sheep. Also a full line of farming implements.

THURSDAY, MARCH 9, George E. Breon, three miles west of Centre Hall on the W. H. Bartholomew farm, will sell the following:—1 team gray brood mares, bay brood mare, bred to Allen Chide, a Hambletonian pacer; dark bay pacing mare, 7 years old, thoroughbred Hambletonian with speed; sorrel gelding, six years old; Clydesdale bay gelding, rising 2 years, of fine type; dark bay French Coach gelding, rising 4 years, will make a fancy horse; 2 yearling mare colts; 5 head milch cows, some will be fresh by time of sale; 2 heifers, 2 short horn bulls, one weighing between 6 and 7 hundred, one between 17 and 18 hundred; 9 head fine ewes, ram, 7 head hogs, one O. I. C. brood sow, will farrow in April; one Berkshire sow, will farrow in March; 4 young Poland china sows, 1 boar, all these hogs are bred from registered stock. Two horse Conklin wagon, two-seated spring wagon, top buggy, rubber tire runabout, sulky, sleigh, 9-hoe Crown fertilizer grain drill, one brand new superior disc corn planter, latest machine on market; Deering grain binder, brand new Deering mower, 1 all steel Osborne hay rake, two-horse Bennett corn harvester, plank land roller, Albright cultivator, Oliver chilled plow, Perry harrow, spike harrow, Kemp manure spreader, bob-sleds, harpoon, 120 ft. hay rope, double trees, single trees, tug harness, single buggy harness, seed corn, seed potatoes, 3 cream raisers, dinner bell, Mississippi washer, and many other articles. Sale at 10 a. m. When terms will be made known. Harry Grove auctioneer.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, nine o'clock—one mile west of Old Fort, by Jerome Auman: Nine horses and colts, ten milch cows, four fat steers, four heifers, Berkshire boar, four brood sows, nine shoats, also a complete line of farm implements, most of which are new and in the best of condition; also three-fifths interest in fifty acres of grain in ground. L. F. Mayes, Auct.

MONDAY, MARCH 13, nine o'clock, one and one-half miles west of Coiyer, by Emira Smith: five work horses, two three-year old colts, one two-year old colt and one yearling colt, eight milch cows, two bulls, six head of young cattle, two brood sows, eighteen shoats, lot of chickens, and a full line of farm implements, also all the household goods.

TUESDAY, MARCH 14—ten o'clock, by Jacob Meyer, one and one-half miles east of Boalsburg and one mile south of Linden Hall. Large number of horses, cattle, hogs, etc., implements and some household goods.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, one o'clock, at Farmers Mills, 2 1-2 miles west of Spring Mills, by William F. Rishel: Four mares in foal to our Percheron horse; two 2-year old geldings, one yearling mare colt, three brood sows due to farrow by time of sale, two sow pigs, boar pig five months old, 15 shoats, all pure bred Berkshire stock; 20 ewes, 1 ram, harness and other articles

SATURDAY, MARCH 18, ten o'clock, one mile east of Potters Mills, by John H. Wagner: Four horses, four cows, lot of young cattle, shoats, full line of implements used but two years.

MONDAY, MARCH 20th, ten o'clock three miles west of Centre Hall, by A. E. Harshberger, on the Henry Potter farm: Five horses, eleven cows, 17 head of young cattle, bull, 5 brood sows, lot of shoats, boar, and a full line of farm implements. H. H Miller, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, MARCH 21, at ten o'clock a. m.—H I. Foust, on Wilson farm, two miles east of Old Fort. 9 milch cows, 12 head young cattle. 4 shoats, 2 brood sows, 4 work horses, 1 colt, full line of farm implements.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, one mile south of Bellefonte, by A. C. Grove: Farm stock and implements.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, twelve o'clock, one fourth mile east of Penns Cave, by Samuel Wise: Two heavy draft horses, weigh about 2600; four cows, three of which will be fresh by time of sale, one is a fine Ayrshire: three heifers due to calve in the fall; fat bull, brood sow and pigs, seven shoats, chickens, De Laval cream separator, wagons, farming implements, harness, etc.

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